THE WEATHER
Generally cloudy, followed by showers late tonight or Wednesday; light variable winds, becoming easterly and southerly.

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BROOKLYN BANK CLOSED

THE UNION BANK

Doors of Brooklyn Institution Were Closed This Morning

NEW YORK, April 5.—The doors of the Union bank of Brooklyn were closed this morning. The bank has seven branches. O. H. Cheney, state superintendent of banks, has taken possession of the bank.

The assets and liabilities of the bank have not been made known. Supt. Cheney has issued the following statement:

"As a result of an examination of the Union bank of Brooklyn by the banking department a meeting of its directors was held Monday evening at the office of this department to consider whether the bank was not in an unsafe condition because of certain of its assets, for the character of which the present management is not responsible.

"After deliberation the board reached the conclusion that the bank should not continue its business. The board, accordingly, requested its officers to take action. In pursuant with provisions in the baking law the superintendent has taken possession of the corporation."

The president of the Union bank of Brooklyn is Edward M. Grout, former comptroller of the city of New York. The bank has a capitalization of $1,000,000 with deposits of over $5,000,000.

Supt. Cheney would not indicate whether the bank's difficulties had been caused by bad loans or indifferent investments. He said that a statement would probably be forthcoming after a further examination of the bank books had been made.

The Union bank took over the business of the Mechanics & Traders bank of Manhattan which closed over two years ago.

The bank's predicament had little affect on the stock exchange as the institution was said to be only a small lender of money on stock exchange collateral.

EARLE FOUND DEAD

He Committed Suicide in Emergency Hospital by Taking Gas

Martin Earle, aged about 45 years, was found dead in bed in a room at the Emergency hospital in Tyler street shortly before eight o'clock this morning. Death was due to gas poisoning, Earle having deliberately ended his life by inhaling gas through a tube which he had attached to a gas bracket on the side of the wall. Death must have occurred some time between eight o'clock and midnight last night, though it seems to be rather strange that the body was not discovered until eight o'clock this morning.

It is thought that Earle brooding over marital troubles and an affliction from which he was suffering decided to end his life.

When found in bed this morning a gas tube which had been used on a sterilizing tank in the operating room on the floor below was found wound twice around the man's head. One of the ends was attached to the gas jet while the other was inserted in his mouth and Earle's lifeless hand was holding the tube in position.

The body was removed to the funeral parlors of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

Had Been Despondent

Last spring while working for a man named Eaton near Golden Cove in Chelmsford, he received a fracture of two ribs and went to the Emergency hospital for treatment. He had but very little money at the time and after he was able to go about he asked Dr. Will Corbett McLean, of the Emergency hospital if he could not stay around there and do chores for his keeping. The doctor was willing and kept him for quite a while, but when Earle started drinking, Dr. McLean told the man he would have to leave the place.

Earle then secured a job in the Massachusetts mills, but lost it as a result of overindulgence in liquor.

Last Friday Earle called at the hospital and told the doctor he was feeling ill and needed treatment. Examination showed that the man was suffering from a hernia. He was receiving treatment, but was able to do odd jobs about the place and Dr. McLean knowing that if the man would not drink he would be a handy person around the hospital decided to allow him to remain there.

Sunday the man seemed to be greatly improved and yesterday he was apparently all right other than that he had several crying spells.

Dr. McLean who is a professor at Tufts college, in Medford, arrived in Lowell last night on the 8.08 train, and going to the hospital asked how Earle was feeling. He was told that Earle had retired about 7.30 o'clock. Inasmuch as Earle occupied a room next to the bathroom and that the latter room had been visited several times during the night by different persons and nothing out of the ordinary was noticed his room was not visited until this morning.

Dead For Hours

Shortly before eight o'clock this morning one of the attendants at the hospital went to Earle's room for the purpose of ascertaining why he had not been down to breakfast and upon entering the room found him lying in bed with the gas tube in his mouth. Life was extinct and probably had been for a number of hours.

The hospital authorities say that Earle has a wife living in Chelmsford and has a son, Edward, and a daughter, Edith, living in this city.

CIVIL SERVICE

Candidates Get Place on Eligible List

The following persons successfully passed the recent civil service examinations at city hall for the foreman and janitor service, the names follow in order of rank: Foreman, water dept., Jeremiah D. Sullivan and William F. Hunt; foreman, street department, John G. Gordon, John J. Mullaney, Frank E. Stowell, Joseph F. Plunkett, Wallace N. Williams and James F. Morrison; for the janitor service, Omer J. Smith, Charles E. Thornton, Thomas J. McGee, Alvin W. Hersome, John Downing, David H. Anglin, Frederick J. Tompkins and William H. Tyler.

Of the 68 applicants who took the recent clerical examination, 23 passed, the three highest on the men's list being James J. Reynolds, Roy W. Greenleaf and Horace C. O. Landry; the three highest on the women's list being Julia G. Slattery, Mary H. Downey and Catherine C. McCarthy.

COL. ROOSEVELT

Cancels Reception to Americans

ROME, April 5.—Mr. Roosevelt's planned reception to the American colony has been called off as a result of the anti-vatican statement issued yesterday by Rev. Tipple of the American Methodist church in Rome.

Midnight Sons, Prescott hall, tonight.

125 EMPLOYES OUT

BERLIN, N. H., April 5.—Fifty employes of the International Paper Co.'s mills here today joined those who struck yesterday in support of a demand for restoration of a 10 per cent. cut in wages. Fifteen of the strikers returned to work. In all 125 men are out.

NEW MILK DEPOT



THE NURSE IN CHARGE GIVING ADVICE TO A MOTHER.

First Step Towards Fighting Infant Mortality in Summer

The milk depot in Market street is open for business. Yesterday was opening day and while the rush was not very great, quite a number of mothers with babies in their arms called during the afternoon. Miss Lindsay, the nurse in charge, has five or six mothers on her list who will become regular customers and it is expected that the depot will be a pretty busy place when its work has been demonstrated.

The event which is to be known as "Guild Day," and which is to be devoted to the collecting of money in house to house visits by the members of the Guild, is set for Tuesday, April 26.

To make the occasion doubly impressive the Guild committee in charge of the work has asked Mayor Meehan to ring the fire bells on the afternoon of "Guild Day" during the hour that the fair collectors will be at work. Every person in Lowell will have received two or three days before, an envelope in which is to be placed a contribution, and these envelopes are expected to be ready for the collectors when they make their return visit during the hour of bell ringing.

The city has been divided into districts for the special campaign to raise funds to carry on the work, and each of the six districts has a representative who will look after her assigned section, with the assistance of the other members residing in the district she is expected to cover. Mrs. E. S. Hylan will have charge of the Highlands district; Mrs. E. B. Carney, from city hall, through Pawtucketville; Miss Marian Stott, Belvidere; Miss Minnie Walsh, Centralville; Mrs. J. Harry Boardman, the down-town district.

Just one baby was weighed yesterday and its weight recorded by Dr. Lambert who conducted the first conference. At the second conference to be held next week the baby will be again weighed, and the formula continued or changed as may seem necessary to the physician. Dr. Lambert prescribed the formula for the baby yesterday.

The room where the conferences are held, and where the modified milk is distributed, has been thoroughly renovated, and is white, clean and sanitary.

"WE HAVE GIVEN ANI-SEN

To our baby a number of times, and find it the best thing we have ever tried. It is worth twice the price.

"We had been using other remedies, but after one or two doses baby would start to purge and grow worse than ever, and besides she dindn't like them. When we give her Ani-sen she tries to eat the spoon, and she is never dopey as when we gave her the other remedies. She is a nursing baby and Ani-sen han helped her to digest the milk and has stopped her vomiting. It does all you claim for it." Fred C. Brandt, Paterson, N. J.

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IT DESERVES IT

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LOWELL'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER

FOR GRAND JURY

Probable Cause Found Against Two Young Men

Alfred Roy and Emery Regis, the young men who it is alleged broke into two buildings in Ward street either late Thursday night or early Friday morning of last week and stole a horse and wagon and harness and who were later arrested in Nashua, N. H., and brought to this city, were arraigned before Judge Hadley in police court this morning. After testimony had been offered by a number of witnesses the court found probable cause of guilt and held each under $800 bonds for appearance at the next sitting of the grand jury.

At the end of the trial Judge Hadley stated in the open court that Victor Payne, of Hudson, N. H., one of the government witnesses, should be commended for the part that he took in the arrest of the defendants, for it was due to the efforts of Mr. Payne that both Roy and Regis were arrested.

Neither of the defendants had counsel and their story was a general denial of everything testified to by the government witnesses.

Ubald Allard who was the first witness for the government stated that he kept his horse at 7 Ward street. He knows Roy. Thursday night at 8.30 o'clock he fed his horse, but the next morning at six o'clock when he went to feed the animal it was gone.

Alexis Morin, who conducts a blacksmith shop at 16 Ward street, across the street from Allard's place, said that he saw his Concord buggy in his place Thursday night when he closed up, but upon opening the place in the morning found that it was missing.

Joseph Z. Desrosiers, who owned the harness which was stolen, told of missing the harness and said that the harness which the police had shown him was his property.

Victor Payne, who resides in the Derry road in Hudson, was the next witness called and he testified in part, as follows: "Friday morning just at 7.05 o'clock those two men in the dock stopped in front of my house. They had a brown horse, Concord buggy painted red and a black trimmed harness. In the buggy were a couple of bags of phosphate and two blankets. They wanted to sell the phosphate and also expressed a desire to trade the horse. The phosphate is worth about $1.75 per sack but they were willing to give both sacks to me for $1, I refused to purchase the stuff but told them of a place where I thought they might be able to get rid of it.

"I knew the team was stolen from the minute I saw it in the middle of the road and I immediately called up the authorities in Hudson Centre and then followed them to Nashua and found them both drinking in a saloon in that city."

Officer Peter Better, of Nashua, said that he arrested Regis in a saloon in Canal street and that Regis told him that the rig was his property.

Officer H. C. Rogers, also of the Nashua police, who arrested Roy, said that he found the latter in Canal street about half an hour after Regis was arrested. He knew Roy by a description which he received at the police station.

Alfred Roy, one of the defendants, who was inclined to fall asleep while on the stand and kept awake only as a result of periodical references to his position by Supt. Welch, told the court that he went to Nashua on a car Friday morning. He went to that city for the purpose of seeing his brother-in-law's brother and left the Pawtucket bridge sometime about seven o'clock on Friday morning. He did not know how long it took him to reach the upriver city and denied that he had seen Mr. Payne at the time which the latter specified. He met Regis in Nashua and when the latter asked him to take a ride with him he did so. He said that while he and Regis were going over the road they found two bags of phosphate and placed them in the buggy.

Witness said that he was released from the reformatory four or five months ago after serving 12 months in that institution for larceny.

Emery Regis, the other defendant, said that he was going over the Aiken street bridge about 1.30 o'clock Friday morning when he met Roy and the latter asked him if he wanted to have a ride. He said that Roy said that the outfit belonged to a man whom he worked for and Regis feeling that it would do no harm to have a joy ride accepted the invitation. While passing through Hudson they found, he said, two bags of phosphate and two horse blankets on the road. He denied that he attempted to either sell the phosphate or the blankets. He admitted that he had served 17 months at the house of correction in Cambridge after being found guilty on several complaints of larceny.

The court after considering the evidence in the case found probable cause and held both defendants under $800 each for their appearance before the grand jury at the June sitting.

Other Offenders

George E. Baron, who several months ago was before the court and placed on probation, was arrested in Pawtucket street, yesterday. In court this morning he explained that while driving into Lowell he met with an accident and a woman gave him a cup of whiskey in order to revive him and that it was such a long time since he had had any liquor that it immediately went to his head. The court was inclined to be indulgent and continued him on probation.

John P. Simms pleaded not guilty to a complaint charging him with the larceny of 4000 pounds of iron valued at $32, the property of David Ziskind. At the request of the government the case was continued till Friday, Simms being held under $100 bonds for his appearance.

Robert Allison, a former collector for Ervin E. Smith, Market street hardware dealer, who was arrested several months ago on several counts for alleged larceny, was to have been given a hearing this morning in police court but by agreement of counsel the case was continued till April 15.

Cornelius Sullivan and James Higgins, charged with being drunk, were both sentenced to the state farm at Bridgewater.

Ernest L. Jotterand, whose wife was precipitated from a three story window at Coleman's boarding house in Webster street yesterday morning, was in court this morning and pleaded guilty to being drunk. His case, however, was continued till Friday in order to learn his wife's condition.

There were three first offenders who were fined $2 each and one simple drunk was released.

Take a walk to the Lowell Highlands and see the lots to be sold on Saturday, April 9th, at public auction.

Midnight Sons, Prescott hall, tonight.

WESTON'S WALK

HAMMOND, Ind., April 5.—Edward Payson Weston, pedestrian, last night when he quit for the day had made good progress on what he called the home stretch of his tour from Los Angeles to New York. He reached Hobart, Ind., before midnight.

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RAILROAD'S RIGHTS

Are Upheld by Decision of the Supreme Court

WASHINGTON, April 5.—Emphasizing the rights of railroads, the supreme court of the United States yesterday declared unconstitutional the law of Nebraska requiring railroads to build switches to all grain elevators along their tracks, upon request, and called a halt in the attempt of the state of Arkansas to penalize an interstate railroad for failure to supply cars enough to accommodate interstate traffic.

In announcing the decision of the court in the Nebraska case, Justice Holmes asserted that although the state had certain police powers and that railroads must fulfil the purposes for which their charters were granted, yet "railroads, like other owners of property have rights that are protected by the constitution."

Among other decisions, the court held that the business of a correspondence school with pupils in various states, is interstate commerce, and upheld the act of Arkansas prohibiting canvassing for business by physicians and hotel keepers on trains in that state.

An odd thing about the sitting was the announcement as the decision of the court of an opinion written by the late Justice Brewer.

The court, upon resuming session, gave no direct intimation as to its probable course on reargument of the Standard oil and tobacco trust cases, but having divided four to four on the 28-hour live stock law on the question raised in the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern case, reargument was ordered for August.

The court postponed for 10 days consideration of the inheritance tax case set for argument as of yesterday. This action was taken because of the enforced absence of Solicitor General Bowers, who left yesterday for St. Paul to attend the funeral of his father-in-law, Judge Thomas Wilson.

The city of Los Angeles is given the paramount right, as far as the Los Angeles farming and milling company is concerned, to take and use all the waters of the Los Angeles river by a decision announced yesterday.

The court yesterday decided the case of the Southwestern Oil company vs. the state of Texas in favor of the state, thus upholding the constitutionality of the Texas state law, known as the Kennedy tax law, which fixes a tax of 2 per cent. on the gross receipts from the sale of oil, naphtha, etc. In announcing the opinion of the court Justice Harland held a classification of wholesale dealers, as distinct from retail dealers for purposes of taxation, was a proper exercise of power possessed by the state.

The court affirmed the decree of the federal court of Hawaii sentencing John Wynne to be hanged on a charge of having murdered Archibald F. McKinnon.



CAPTAIN GEORGE P. DILLON, ONE OF THE OLD SOLDIER FIDDLERS

A pure grape Cream of Tartar Powder. An aid to digestion—an assurance of healthful food.

CLEVELAND'S SUPERIOR BAKING POWDER

A plain cake, made with Cleveland's Baking Powder, is superior to a pound cake costing twice as much, made with an alum powder.

FUNERALS

DONOVAN—The funeral of Dennis Donovan, who was killed at Sauk Rapids, Minn., a week ago, was held yesterday afternoon from the rooms of Undertakers C. H. Molloy & Sons. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery, where Rev. Fr. Callahan read the committal prayers. Undertakers C. H. Molloy & Sons had charge. The bearers were Patrick Kelley, Dennis O'Neil, Mathew Sheridan, Joseph Minigle, Archie and John Kelley.

PIERCE—The funeral of Warren K. Pierce was held yesterday afternoon from the home of his mother, Mrs. Edith Pierce, 36 Puffer street and burial was in the Edson cemetery. Rev. J. P. West was the officiating clergyman and there was singing by Miss Lucille Washburn and Miss Eva Large. Undertaker C. M. Young had charge of the burial.

SPLAINE—The funeral of the late John H. Splaine was held Sunday afternoon at St. Catherine's church, Forge Village, Rev. Edmund T. Schofield officiating. A large gathering of relatives and friends attended the services.

The casket was hidden amid a wealth of beautiful flowers. A large delegation of Court Ayer, No. 48, Foresters of America of which deceased was a member attended the services. The bearers were Francis Lowther and John L. Flynn of Forge Village, Eugene Simpson of Boston, Jas. Ellmore of Ayer. Among out-of-town people who attended were Mrs. John Ledger, Mr. and Mrs. M. McGovern, Peter Hanley, Miss Margaret Hyer, Mr. S. Campbell, W. W. Murphy, all of Lowell; Miss Helen McGovern, Ayer; Julius Brumuller, Malden; Mr. and Mrs. George Rose, William Rose, Lewis E. Rose of Cambridge; Charles Rose, Somerville; Mrs. Nellie Prince, Mrs. James Hackett, Mr. Stephen and Miss Nellie Ward of North Chelmsford; Daniel Sullivan, Lincoln Towle, Boston; Mr. and Mrs. John J. Hanley, Marlboro; Hugh Daly, Miss Emma Duford and Mrs. Edward Sheean of Leominster; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Riney, Lowell.

Burial was in the family lot in St. Catherine's cemetery, Graniteville. Undertaker J. A. Healey had charge of the funeral.

A requiem high mass was celebrated at St. Catherine's church, this morning at 8 o'clock, for the repose of his soul.

ADAMS—The burial of the late Miss Grace P. Adams of Chelmsford took place Sunday afternoon in the family lot in Forefathers' cemetery, Chelmsford Centre, where the committal service was conducted by Rev. T. C. H. Bouton of the Central Congregational church, who also read a poem, "The Christian's Good Night." Arrangements were in charge of Superintendent Roland Parkhurst and the bearers were Harry B. Flemings, George K. Mackenzie, Will Roper and John H. Wilson.

O'TOOLE—The funeral of the late Edward O'Toole took place this morning at 9 o'clock from his home, Sheldon street, North Billerica, and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends including a delegation from the North Billerica Council, R. A. of which deceased was an esteemed member, consisting of John Connolley, Patrick Higgins, Joseph Brown, and William Costello. The cortege proceeded to St. Andrew's church where at 9.30 o'clock a mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Father Foley, O. M. I. The choir, under the direction of Mr. Fairbrother, sang the Gregorian mass. Mr. Fairbrother rendering "Pie Jesu" at the offertory and "De Profundis," at the conclusion. Miss Etta Hoar presided at the organ. Among the many beautiful floral tributes were a large pillow inscribed "Father," from the family; cross on base from the North Billerica council, R. A.; spray, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Kohlrausch; spray, Ellen Meaney; wreath, the Craig family; wreath, J. S. Welch; wreath, W. J. Wheatley and family; wreath from a friend. The bearers were Philip Gleason, William Wheatley, Maurice McElligott, Joan O'Brien, Elias Hannon, Timothy McCarthy. At the grave Rev. Father Foley read the committal prayers and the burial was in the Catholic cemetery in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

JOYCE—The funeral of the late Rosetta R. Joyce took place this morning at 8.40 o'clock from the funeral parlors of James W. McKenna, 419 Bridge street, and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to the Immaculate Conception church, where at 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Dennis Sullivan, O. M. I. The choir, directed by Mr. Chas. P. Smith, sang the Gregorian mass. Mrs. Hugh Walker presided at the organ. As the remains were borne from the church the choir chanted "De Profundis." The floral offerings consisted of a wreath of roses and lilies with ribbon inscribed "Sister," from sister of the deceased; standing wreath of roses, ferns and lilies, from Room 17, Selisia Worsted mills of No. Chelmsford; and a spray of roses and carnations from the Wilson family. The bearers were Messrs. Edward Cox, James Burke, Reno Dennoult and Samuel Forsythe. Interment was in the family lot in the Catholic cemetery, where the last sad rites of the Catholic church were read by Rev. Fr. Sullivan. Funeral Director James W. McKenna in charge.

DEATHS

BROWN—Mrs. Elizabeth Brown, aged 33 years, died today at her late home, 42 Plummer avenue. The deceased was a popular young woman of the Immaculate Conception parish and was well known throughout the city. She leaves to mourn her loss a husband, James Brown, and two sons, James and William; two sisters, Miss Mary Bannon and Mrs. Edward Herbert of Waltham. Funeral notice later.

KEEGAN—Catherine Keegan, widow of the late Peter Keegan, died last evening at her home, 3 rear of 218 Adams street. The deceased had been a devout attendant at St. Patrick's church for the past 27 years. She leaves to mourn her loss, three daughters, Mrs. Mary Judge of Lawrence; Mrs. Alice Buzzell and Mrs. Winifred Crosby of this city, and one son, J. S. Keegan of the U. S. army, now stationed at Fort Warren. She also leaves a granddaughter, Miss Mary Tower of this city and several other grandchildren. Lawrence papers please copy.

O'NEIL—George O'Neil, aged 78 years, died this morning at his residence, 46 Suffolk street. He leaves to survive him one daughter, Miss Sarah O'Neil. The deceased was a brother of the late Hugh O'Neil whose interment took place last week.

DESMARAIS—Albert T. Desmarais, aged 16 years, died today at 814 Lakeview avenue. He is survived by his parents, Adios and Mary Desmarais; two brothers, Philip and John and one sister, Mildred. Owing to the nature of the disease the funeral was held this afternoon at 1 o'clock. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery under the direction of Peter Savage, undertaker.

DALY—The funeral of Martin J. Daly took place this morning from the home of his parents, 3 rear of 91 Dummer street. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery in charge of Undertaker Peter H. Savage.

Shawlights, O. U. A. M., tonight.

STAR THEATRE

A talking picture, "The Honor of His Family," by the Biograph company is a special feature of the show at the Star theatre. The large and capable company of actors makes the picture most realistic. There are two high class vaudeville specialties. The Textile school illustrated song, "What's the Matter With Father" is a scream. It is "the biggest and best show in Lowell" and the admission of five cents includes a seat.

HATHAWAY THEATRE

There's a bang up good bill at Hathaway's theatre this week and "The Old Soldier Fiddlers" are the big feature. Kinder gives one a funny feeling in the heart region when the veterans of the gray and the blue stand side by side and round out the old tunes. Any of us who attended country dances years ago and swung partners in the plain quadrille, danced to the very tunes that the old soldiers play at Hathaway's. "Money Musk" is old and beautiful when it comes to jig music, and if the fellow sitting next to you at Hathaway's last night tramped on your toes it was probably because he had too much music in his feet. When the blue and the gray got to fiddling out those jigs some of the old timers had rush of blood to the feet.

"We don't read any music," said Col. John A. Pattee, the spokesman for the Fiddlers, yesterday. "We simply saw away at the old tunes, and our general average isn't very bad. It's the old tunes we're going to play, the ones that people hummed and whistled before the Civil war."

There were several solos by the members of the quartet. Major Hamersly played the little known "General Lee's March," and Capt. Thomas gave the melodious "Cabin Creek," a dance tune dating back to the '10s of the last century. And Col. Pattee played many of the better known war time pieces. In one of his numbers he was assisted by Capt. Dillon, a real "Johnny Reb," the two giving an imitation of an "orchestra" which is used in the mountains of West Virginia and North Carolina. It was very jolly scraping, and Capt. Dillon became so enthused that he gave the Rebel yell, and then struck into some soft shoe dancing.

The act opened with the Northerners running into the "Rebs" for a good time, and it ended with the four men saluting with their bows a mammoth silken American flag, while the "Star Spangled Banner" was played by the orchestra.

The four old soldiers saw active service, and three of them were wounded during the war. Col. John A. Pattee, the leader of the quartet, is nearly 66 years of age. He was born in Wayne county, Michigan, and enlisted in Company K, 24th Michigan Infantry, on August 5, 1862. He was later detached and became a member of Battery B, 4th United States Light Artillery. He fought with the Iron Brigade at Gettysburg, and was within a stone's throw of General John B. Reynolds, when the latter was shot from his horse during the first day of the memorable battle. He was wounded at the Weldon railroad, during the Petersburg battle. In April of 1865 he was sent to Springfield, Ill., to do recruiting and was one of those selected to escort the body of President Lincoln to its last resting place. He is a great grandfather. His mother is still living. His home is at Huntington, W. Va.

Capt. John H. Thomas was born in West Virginia, but moved to Ohio when young. He is 66 years of age. He served in the 147th Ohio Infantry and was wounded during a battle near Clarksburg, W. Va. He owns a farm in Ohio.

Capt. George P. Dillon is 67 years of age. He was born in Tuswell county, Virginia, and served with the 34th Virginia Cavalry Battalion. He was with Gen. Jubal A. Early during the entire campaign in the Shenandoah valley. He was wounded during this campaign.

Major J. H. Hamersly saw the least service of any of the four members of the quartet. He was born and has always lived near Appomatox court house, Virginia. In the southern states there were many independent military organizations before and during the Civil war, and Major Hamersley, when the two armies focussed at Appomatox at the close of the war, went out with the company of Captain Ford. Major Hamersly is a bachelor.

Thursday night will be known as "Grand Army Night" at the theatre. It is probable that the four fiddlers will be the object of a demonstration. Many members of the three local posts will be in attendance and at the close of the performance the fiddlers will hold a reception.

Harry K. and Jessie Hayward present a very funny little comedy called "Holding Out." The act is filled with the unusual, both as to action and dialog. It's worth the price of admission alone to see the woman fry an egg on an electric flatiron, or to see the pair make coffee in a grease paint box with a tin whistle stuck in a hole as an outlet for the steam.

Selma Braatz, as dainty as anybody seen here this season and brimful of ginger, appeared as the closing act of the bill. Her juggling isn't freakish, but it is done in fine taste and with a show of precision quite uncommon. Very little of it depends upon main strength. Rather is it the result of a very swift moving brain and body. Women jugglers are few and far between, and Fraulein Braatz is easily the best in the east today. The finale to her act while she, dressed in a fetching knickerbocker suit, juggles torches, is remarkably pretty.

Jane Boynton and Fan Burke, the former having appeared earlier this season with the Piano Four, give an attractively arranged musical act.

Harry L. Webb, known as "the man who talks and sings," carried yesterday's audiences with him.

William Perry, in the spectacular contortion act, "The Lagoon," has a few surprises in the way of contortions.

Newhoff and Phelps have a little skit of talking, singing and dancing, and there are usual motion pictures.

Performances will be given every afternoon and evening during the remainder of the week.

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

One of the best bills so far offered at the Opera House under the present policy of vaudeville and pictures was given yesterday afternoon and evening and for the first three days of the week. Heading the program are the Petching Bros., talented musicians, who offer one of the best novelty musical acts seen of late, entitled "The Garden of Music" in which the stage setting shows a garden of fruit trees and flowers that prove to be musical instruments. An odd conceit well carried out and one that is also praiseworthy from a musical standpoint. Others on the bill are the three Corellas, exceptionally good comedy acrobats, in a series of rapid stunts that keep the audience well interested. Dorothea Hall, character change artist and clever dancer who finishes her act with a male impersonation that is good, and Herb. Webster in new pictorial melodies that catch the crowd. The pictures shown are of the latest prints and include a new Biograph comedy, "The Smoker," a beautiful colored Pathe picture and several others of the newest subjects. The current bill will be given today and Wednesday and Thursday there will be an entire change of program. Tonight is amateur night at the Opera House and the usual big list of amateur talent will be seen. Owing to the length of the program on amateur nights the performance will begin at 6.45 tonight. Prices are five and ten cents; seats free.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

At the Academy, Driscoll McNevmaid & Co. are giving a sketch that is a new and novel idea. It is intensely dramatic and is in the hands of three clever actors. It proved a big hit yesterday. The Phillips sisters are a very clever pair of exceptionally pretty young ladies who sing well and dance better and make many changes of handsome wardrobe. Jos. Hart is singing "In the City Where Nobody Cares," and there are new pictures including a Biograph. Admission 5 and 10 cents.

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One of the most interesting and popular novels ever written is "Michael Strogoff" and in a dramatic form it has been played many times. Today the Theatre Voyons is showing it in a picture drama and it will be sure to please those who have read the story as well as those to whom it is entirely new. It is capably acted and well staged and little is neglected that would add to its interest.

"The Diary of a Nurse" tells a love story in a novel way and the theme of a nurse and patient's romance is charmingly handled.

"His Last Dollar," is a rarely funny comedy in which a young man is confronted with a big bill for a dinner which he and a lady have eaten and finds he has only a dollar to meet it. Other pictures are included in the bill and two illustrated songs of more than ordinary merit are well sung.

PAYMASTER HELD

Haughey is Put Under Technical Arrest

BOSTON, April 5.—Past Assistant Paymaster Swinton L. Bethea, U. S. N., who has been the assistant paymaster of the flagship Connecticut, reported at the Charlestown navy yard yesterday as the paymaster of the U. S. S. Castine, now at the yard, relieving Assistant Paymaster Lawrence G. Haughey, U. S. N., who has been the pay officer of the Castine and of the submarine flotilla of which it is the "parent" ship.

Assistant Paymaster Haughey was directed to report aboard the receiving ship Wabash for "temporary duty," and immediately upon reporting to Capt. John C. Fremont, U. S. N., commandant of the yard for that duty, he was placed under technical arrest.

A court-martial has been ordered to try Assistant Paymaster Haughey. It will begin its sessions at the Charlestown yard on Thursday. The exact charges, according to the policy of the navy department, are not made public in advance of the convening of the court.

Paymaster Haughey reported the loss of $2800 from his safe last month. The money had been drawn to pay off the crew and the men of the submarines, whose accounts are carried aboard the Castine. After placing the money in his safe on the ship he went ashore and did not return for a day. He reported that he had been taken suddenly ill while visiting Back Bay friends. Upon his return to the ship he had occasion to pay some accounts. He opened the safe and found there was no money in it. He immediately reported the loss.

The safe was intact and the combination had evidently not been tampered with. Subsequently some of the money was found secreted behind a bathtub in the wardroom, the senior officers' general room.

An investigation was ordered by Capt. Fremont, commandant of the yard, and the findings were reported to Washington. No loss, it is understood, falls upon the government.

Capt. Charles E. Fox, U. S. N., commandant at the Charleston, S. C., navy yard, has been named as president of the court. The other members, all of whom are connected with the Charlestown navy yard or ships now there, are Lieut. Commanders John L. Stiteth and Edwin H. Delaney, Paymasters Victor S. Jackson and E. E. Goodine, Passed Asst. Paymaster Roland W. Shuman, Lieut. Ralston W. Holmes and Asst. Naval Constructor Robert B. Hillard.

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NARROW ESCAPE

Frank Johnson, Aviator, Plunged Into San Francisco Bay

ALAMEDA, Cal., April 5.—Plunging from a height of 80 feet into the waters of San Francisco bay, Frank Johnson, an aviator riding the Curtiss biplane, was nearly drowned yesterday a mile off shore.

For several minutes it seemed that the aviator was lost and his mother and wife who witnessed the accident fainted. After the machine settled in the bay Johnson could be seen by several hundred spectators swimming toward shallow water. Two men in a skiff rescued him. The machine was recovered and towed ashore.

Johnson explained that one of the planes failed to respond as he was about to make a sharp turn. The accident occurred while he was making the twelfth flight of the afternoon before a large crowd.

PUBLIC HALL BOARD

Successor to Mr. Ellingwood to be Chosen Tonight

Because of his removal from Lowell, Mr. Edward Ellingwood, has resigned from the Public Hall commission, and Mayor Meehan has called a special meeting of the common council for this evening in order that the position made vacant by Mr. Ellingwood's resignation may be filled without delay. The board of aldermen will hold a regular meeting this evening.

The naming of a successor to Mr. Ellingwood is up to the chairman of the board of aldermen and the president of the common council. Mayor Meehan hopes that these two gentlemen will name Mr. A. G. Swapp. "I feel that Mr. Swapp is public spirited enough not to refuse to serve if appointed and I know that his presence on the commission would serve to facilitate matters in the building of a new hall."

Mr. Ellingwood's letter to the mayor reads as follows:

Hon. John F. Meehan,
Mayor's Office,
City Hall, Lowell, Mass.

Dear Sir:—Owing to my change of residence to another city I shall not be eligible as a member of the public hall commission, and I hereby tender my resignation, to take effect at once.

Very truly yours,
Edward Ellingwood.

Mayor to City Council

Believing that the present board of charities ought not to be held responsible for the bill owed the Massachusetts School for Feeble Minded and amounting to more than $4000, because the bill was contracted by former boards, the mayor has addressed the following communication to the city council:

Lowell, April 5, 1910.

To the City Council of the City of Lowell.

Gentlemen:—

Enclosed find statement from the Massachusetts School for Feeble Minded. This bill covers a period from June 30, 1905, to November 30, 1908.

As this bill was contracted during an interval of time over which the present board of charities had no control, I believe that in all fairness and justice this bill should not be paid out of their appropriation.

I feel that it is the duty of your honorable body to make a special appropriation covering the payment of same.

Respectfully yours,
John F. Meehan, Mayor.

Sherman Reappointed

Mayor Meehan has appointed Walter A. Sherman inspector of animals for Lowell. This is a re-appointment for Mr. Sherman and it was filed at the office of the city clerk this forenoon.

Moth Appropriation

State Forester Raney has communicated with Mayor Meehan by telephone as well as by letter asking the chief executive to use his best influence in securing a $4000 moth appropriation.

Marriage Intentions

April 5—Jackson Clifford White, 21, wood worker, 148 Cushing street and Alden Boisvert, 17, laundress, same address.

John Battles, 29, locomotive fireman, Allston, Mass., and Maria McGrath, 33, machine operator, 132 Tilden street.

FLOUNDER CLUB

HAD AN ENJOYABLE SUNDAY AT SAUGUS WITH PRESIDENT

The members of the Flounder club, a social organization that flounders in the vicinity of Liberty square, visited the home of their president, Charles E. Wheaton at East Saugus, Sunday and enjoyed one of Mrs. Wheaton's delightful dinners. The day was spent in a most enjoyable manner. There were songs by William F. Moran, Thomas Barry and recitations by Frank Flanagan who made a hit with his rendition of "On the Water Wagon:" Edward F. Brady sang "My Irene is a Village Queen;" James Bowers sang "The Songs My Mother Used to Sing," "Hokie Get Up," and "Listen to the Mill Bells Ring." Timothy Reagan recited "The Village Blacksmith" with anvil accompaniment and Cornelius Donahue tore off a few songs. The party returned early in the evening after a most enjoyable day.

Worms

Hundreds of children and adults have worms, but are treated for other diseases. The symptoms are:—indigestion, foul tongue, offensive breath, sense of fullness, eyes dull and heavy, itching of the nose, grinding of the teeth, slow fever and often, in children, convulsions.

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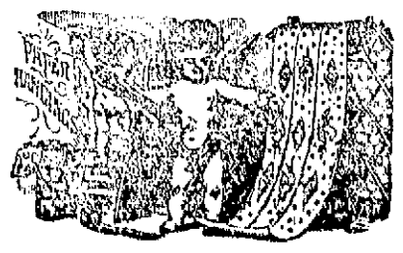
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WERE TWICE MARRIED

Woonsocket Couple Principals in Strange Ceremony

WOONSOCKET, R. I., April 5.—William Stearns and Miss Beatrice Booth, well known young people of this city, were twice married yesterday, once legally and once socially. The legal marriage was performed in a carriage in the middle of the highway on Harris avenue in Blackstone just over the Massachusetts side of the Rhode Island line, and the social marriage took place at the home of the bride's parents in this city.

It was the desire of the Booth family that the marriage ceremony of their daughter should be performed by Rev. James Church Alvord of Hopedale, Mass., for many years a close friend of the Booth family, and it was also desired that Rev. Mr. Alvord alone should conduct the marriage service. Now the laws of Rhode Island do not allow a clergyman from another state to perform a marriage ceremony unassisted and in order to make the marriage perfectly legal the bridal couple and the clergyman drove across the boundary line into Massachusetts, where the clergyman simply said: "I legally pronounce you man and wife."

An hour later in the presence of many invited guests, a second ceremony was performed at the Booth home. This service satisfied all the demands of conventionality and at the conclusion Rev. Mr. Alvord announced "I pronounce you man and wife in the church."

BAY STATE MILITIA

Will Not Engage in War Game This Year

There will be no war game for the Massachusetts militia this year, according to a statement given out at the adjutant-general's office at the state house yesterday.

Of all the Massachusetts regiments the only one to favor the war game is Colonel Sullivan's regiment, the "Fighting Ninth."

"Already the state militia has had sufficient practice in the general line of great maneuvers. What the men need now is a drilling in the detail of the work and individual instruction. Why, there are men participating in the general manoeuvers who know practically nothing of military courtesy, who don't know even how to salute an officer."

This is the reason as expressed by Capt. Simonds, assistant to the adjutant-general, for the decision in favor of regimental camps.

Colonel John J. Sullivan of the Ninth Regiment differs in his opinion and the Ninth will go to Pine Plains in August to participate with the regulars and militia from other states in a great war game.

"The place for a training in detail and in military courtesy is the armory," Colonel Sullivan said yesterday. "War is not a competition in courtesy. The details of the work are essential, of course. But they can be taught in the armory and are incidental. What the men need is the training that would enable them to take care of themselves in the field.

Favors War Game

"In the rush and hardship of the war maneuvers little time is given to teaching military courtesy, it is true. But the men learn how to make camp, how to cook and take care of themselves and their equipment under war-like conditions.

"The war maneuvers are carried on in connection with troops from the regular army. The association with those men is a great benefit. The game is conducted by regular army officers, and if they don't know how to conduct it, who does?

"Curtis Guild, Jr., in his editorial characterized the Ninth as consisting of men who worked with their hands. I don't like that particularly. The personnel of the Ninth would average about the same, or a little better, than that of the other regiments of the state. Most of the men are clerks and artisans earning good pay. The work with the hands part is perhaps supposed to indicate a lack of brain capacity for thinking about things.

Need Field Experience

"Most of the men have as many demands on their time as other men. Their service is from a sense of duty and interest. In the ranks are more Spanish war men and seasoned men than in other regiments in the state.

"My point though, is this: Men who are confined to the city need the experience in the field. If the same men year after year it might be well to go through a course of training in detail. But they don't serve for any great number of years and what is needed is the training that would enable those men to go into the field and know how to take care of themselves.

"Men who are good in the armory and on dress parade are frequently failures in the field. Their theories avail them nothing when actually tried out. In time of war I think an officer would overlook a man's deficiency in saluting with exact precision if he were always in at the finish and knew how to do his work."

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SUIT FOR $20,000

Is Entered Against Lady Cook

NEW YORK, April 5.—Tennessee Claflin Cook, known as Lady Cook, the prominent worker for equal suffrage here and abroad, is the defendant in a $20,000 suit brought by Harry C. Silver, her former press agent, for breach of contract.

Justice Blanchard yesterday granted an application made by Silver for the appointment of a commission to take the testimony of relatives and friends of Lady Cook abroad. He claims that Lady Cook violated an agreement by which he was to write her biography. Lady Cook's answer is a general denial.

Sir Frederick Cook, son of Sir Francis Cook, Lady Cook's deceased husband; Lady Oakley of Tumbridge Wells, Mrs. Holyrod Chapman, Dr. and Mrs. Charles E. Wells and Mrs. John B. Martin are the persons whom the commission is authorized to examine.

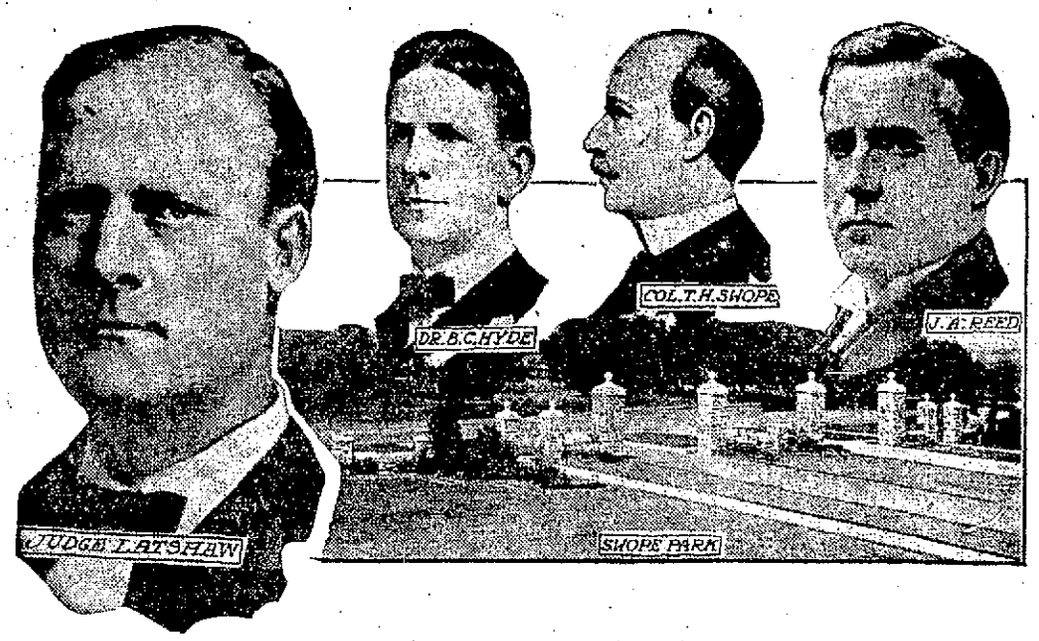
Silver's claim is that Lady Cook offered to buy 20,000 copies of the biography at $1 a copy in addition to paying the expenses of collecting the material and publication. He alleges that while collecting material in London, Paris and other foreign cities he met Sir Frederick Cook and talked with him about the project.

Mrs. Wells, Lady Cook's adopted niece, told Silver, according to his affidavit, that she and her sister, Mrs. Thompson, had planned to write Lady Cook's biography, but had been prevented by the illness of Mrs. Thompson. She said that Lady Cook had told her, Silver continues, that she was willing to pay $50,000 for a good biography.

When Silver went to see Mrs. Martin, Lady Cook's sister, in London, and sent word to her that he was writing her sister's biography, Silver says Mrs. Martin sent her butler with the reply: "Go ahead, and don't bother me."

Lots to be sold in Lowell Highlands on Saturday, April 9th, are on graded streets, have water, sewers, sidewalks, and are well lighted.

SWOPE PARK AND PRINCIPALS IN KANSAS CITY'S FAMOUS MURDER TRIAL



KANSAS CITY, April 5.—The trial of Dr. B. C. Hyde, accused of the murder of Colonel Thomas H. Swope, will begin April 11. Dr. Hyde has been at liberty under $100,000 bail. The case will be tried before Judge R. S. Latshaw, and the representatives of Colonel Swope's estate have engaged the best legal talent that money could secure, while Dr. Hyde with his wife's and his own fortune have scoured Missouri for lawyers famous for their ability. The trial promises to be one of the most sensational ever tried in this country. While Dr. Hyde will be tried for the murder of Colonel Swope, who was many times a millionaire and gave Swope park to this city, he has been accused of causing the death of Christian Swope and the serious illness of other members of the Swope family. Dr. Hyde was indicted by the grand jury for administering typhoid fever germs to Colonel Swope.

FIRST DAY'S PRACTICE

Lowell Base Ball Team at Spalding Park Yesterday

"Old Phenom" John Smith came to town yesterday and went right to work at Spalding park with those of the recruits who had arrived early. John intended to have King Kelly, the old Manchester catcher, to work out with the boys for a few weeks and King got as far as the depot in Manchester all ready to come, south. He had his worldly effects in a suit case which he left in the depot. As the train was about to start the King went to get his suit case when he discovered to his sorrow that some one had swapped with him and had given him the short end of the swap. Thus Smith came to Lowell alone while when last heard from Kel was still looking for the suit case while the air in his vicinity was bluer than the smoke that curls from Manchester's celebrated product with the long filler and Sumatra wrapper.

John made the boys present work out lightly for an hour or more and had his pitchers doing a little limbering up. In one corner of the field W. D. Jones, the Lowell outfielder, had the High school recruits practising with Principal Irish as a spectator.

The members of the Lowell team who practised were Mosher, the California pitcher who is a player of more experience than most of the bunch; Blackwell, the Pennsylvania Southpaw and Felster and Schaub, the pitchers from the Philadelphia Nationals, Reardon of Portland and Reilly of Georgetown. Tyler, the pitcher, batted the ball around but didn't do any twirling. Joseph Gerstenfeld, the third baseman from Philadelphia, was present but did little work as he recently had an abscess on his arm lanced. Fraser, a first baseman from South Boston, showed up well at the bat. Frank Lemke of Trenton, N. J. was present. He is also a candidate for first base. Catcher Burke from Waverly, a very promising backstop, was present. The other catchers have not yet arrived. They are Huston, Stone of Bates college and Conrad of California. Van Zant has been released as Manager Gray thought that he could make a selection from the other four.

FIVE LOWELL BOYS

Started Out on a Trip to See the World

MEDFORD, April 5.—Patrolman James H. Kane rounded up five Lowell boys, ranging from 13 to 16 years of age, yesterday afternoon in the South Medford district. The policeman's attention was attracted to the quintet by their wandering through several streets. He stopped them and they frankly said they were from Lowell and that they had left home early in the morning. They asked him the way to Charlestown and the elevated railroad announcing their ambition to see the world. They were given a free ride to the police station where the youngsters gave their names and residences.

They appeared rather scared and expressed a desire to return home and cut short their trip of exploration and discovery. They would not tell, however, how they got to Medford.

The Lowell police were notified and arrangements made to have the father of one of the boys take the wanderers home. The boys are Henry Winn, aged 16, of 21 Webster street; Paul Coleman, aged 13, 32 Webster street; Thomas P. Coyle, aged 13, 34 Webster street; Alexander Mack, aged 13, 387 Central street, and Charles Carroll, aged 13, of 30 Ellis street. The boys were given a good supper and allowed to explore the cell room at the Medford police station.

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Tells Young Men How to Pick a Wife

PITTSBURG, April 5.—Neither Mrs. nor Mr. Carnegie have much sympathy for the cause of woman suffrage. "Pick for your wife the girl who takes care of her mother, the girl who is useful in the household and does not make the most show in the ball room," counseled the laird of Skibo to the young men at his technical school last evening.

"The Margaret Morrison schools do more good than all the fights for women's rights," said Mrs. Carnegie in addressing the girls' department of the technical schools.

The steel master also gave the boys this epigramatic counsel:

"Woman raises man to the highest standard.

"My mother and wife made me all I am.

"All depends upon the proper mating of man and woman.

"The ambition to become a millionaire is low.

"To be of service to your fellow man is the greatest ideal.

"Honest parentage is the most valued heritage.

"I don't expect to fly until natural wings sprout from my shoulders.

"It is good to develop the body as well as the mind."

JACK JOHNSON

Found Not Guilty by a Jury

CHICAGO, April 5.—Jack Johnson was not granted his request for two negroes on the jury that heard the testimony in his trial for automobile speeding yesterday before Judge Scovel in the municipal court but the twelve Caucasians who sat in judgment proved satisfactory to the champion by promptly returning a verdict of not guilty.

"They saved me the trouble of going up to the supreme court with the case" said John. "I am not going to have the police put it all over me all the time just because I'm a well known person. If I ran around and got drunk and gambled the cops ought to pinch me, but I'm a good family man and behave myself like a gentleman. If everyone was like me it would be a good world."

TREASURY DEPT.

Construes the Law of Free Entry

WASHINGTON, April 5.—In construing the law admitting to free entry of household effects the treasury department has made some rulings of general interest.

Horses, carriages, sleighs, harness and saddles, automobiles, guns, canoes, boats and similar articles are not entitled to free entry as household effects nor articles used abroad in business pursuits such as office safes and office furniture. Material for tablecloths, napkins, curtains not made up into such articles are not household effects. Effects of the household which have been used abroad a year or more, the owner of which has died after arriving in this country, may be admitted free on exhibiting to customs officials letters of administration. A bequest of household effects from a relative abroad to a person in the United States is not free of duty unless the deceased was a citizen of this country.

Articles subject to duty found among the effects of a person arriving in the United States which were not at the time of making the entry mentioned to the collector of customs are subject to forfeiture and the owner is liable to a penalty of treble their value.

CONTRACTS AWARDED

ALBANY, April 5.—The state highway commission has awarded, among others, the following contracts for the improvement of public highways by state aid:

Highway number 683, Dryden-Cortland, Tompkins county, 3.67 miles, awarded to James McCormick of East Providence, R. I. for $38,444.

Midnight Sons, Prescott hall, tonight.

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BOTH ARE DEAD

Two Men Figured in Tragedy at Trenton, N. J.

TRENTON, N. J., April 5.—A tragedy in which a man was accidentally shot dead, followed by the suicide of the man who fired the fatal shot, occurred early today on the platform of the Philadelphia & Reading railway station at Trenton Junction about five miles from this city.

The man shot dead was Frank Fracella, a cab driver, and the suicide was John Connolly, a railroad watchman. These men, with a railroad detective and the station telegraph operator, were standing on the station platform.

Connolly had two revolvers, one empty. He was showing them to Fracella, the two witnesses say, and had remarked: "How would you like to get a lead from this one?" when the weapon was discharged and Francella fell dead. It is believed Connolly thought he was exhibiting the empty revolver to the cabdriver.

Connolly, panic-stricken, started to run. The detective and the telegraph operator started after him when Connolly suddenly stopped, placed the revolver to his head and fired. He died instantly. The public prosecutor was notified and after an investigation concluded that the tragedy had occurred as related by the two witnesses.

HELD IN $2000

Men Charged With Trying to Wreck Car

HAVERHILL, April 5.—John Seleck, alias Selza, and Kosbamus Kalos, were each held in $2000 by Judge Fuller yesterday on the charge of attempting to wreck an electric car on the Lawrence division of the New Hampshire electric railway. They are Poles and were arrested last night on the Lawrence line as they were running away after the motorman of a car had discovered a pile of rocks on the tracks.

A party of Haverhill and Lawrence Poles attended a wedding Thursday in the outskirts of the city and were refused passage on a car as the road officials had issued strict orders forbidding the carrying of intoxicated people.

One electric was stoned, the rocks crashing through the windows, the passengers escaping unhurt. Later an attempt was made to wreck another car, the two accused men being caught running away. They denied all knowledge of the rocks on the tracks, claiming that others were responsible.

DURGIN WINS

THE COURT'S DECISION MAKES HIM AN ALDERMAN

AUBURN, Me., April 5.—Judge Savage rendered his decision yesterday in the contested election case in ward 2, Lewiston, which was heard by him last Friday. He finds that Linwood S. Durgin, the republican candidate, was elected by a vote of 226 to 224 for John J. Curran, democrat. The result announced by the ward offices on the night of the election gave the victory to Curran by a vote of 229 to 227 and the board of aldermen at their recount gave Curran 227 and Durgin 222.

Judge Savage holds that the board of aldermen had no right to recount the votes, so their action was not considered by him. The votes in the ballot box were counted by the attorneys for Mr. Durgin and Mr. Curran in Judge Savage's presence Friday and it was agreed that Mr. Durgin had 223 and Mr. Curran 222 votes that were not disputed.

It was also agreed that 10 others were defective and 14 votes were left to Judge Savage to pass upon as to their validity. He counted three for Mr. Durgin and two for Mr. Curran and declared the other nine defective. He gave Mr. Durgin judgment for costs of the petition.

Mr. Curran has not yet decided whether to appeal to the law court or not. The substitution of Mr. Durgin for Mr. Curran in the board of aldermen will not change the political complexion of the board, which will have four democrats and three republicans.

NOTABLE CEREMONY

AT CHRISTENING OF DI PALMA BABY IN ROME

The christening of the little son of Hon. Frederico di Palma and Agnes Williams di Palma took place at the home of his parents in Rome, Sunday afternoon, March 20th.

The ceremony was held before an altar erected in one end of the drawing room, decorated with lilies and white iris. Archbishop Marinangeli, Patriarch of Alessandria officiated, assisted by Monsignor Tedeschini.

The godparents were Mrs. Charles M. Williams and Admiral Giuseppe Astuto, the little one receiving the name of his maternal grandfather, Charles M. Williams, in its Italian form, Carlo. About fifty of the more intimate friends of the family witnessed the interesting ceremony.

Among those present were Mr. Thomas H. Nesmith and Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Brown of this city, who happened to be in Rome.

WAGE STATISTICS

Arguments on the Cost of Living

SPRINGFIELD, April 5.—The new state commission on the cost of living, composed of Robert Luce chairman, Edward F. McSweeney, Albion F. Bemis, Medrick J. Laporte and Henry Abrahams, gave a public hearing here yesterday in the common council chamber.

Many well-known citizens appeared and gave testimony bearing upon the cost of labor and material.

Richard A. Hennessey, business agent of the bricklayers' union, said that in 1890 brick masons received $3.75 per day and worked nine hours, while they receive $4.40 a day at present and work only eight hours. The masons average about 200 working days a year and receive $880 a year now against $750 formerly.

W. H. Grady, business agent of the plumbers' and electricians' union, was of the opinion that the pay of laborers has not increased except in the case of persons employed by the city. The average laborer receives $1.50 to $1.75 a day against $2 a day for the city laborer.

W. J. La Francis of the carpenters' union said that because of improvements in machinery the carpentry work on a building which formerly cost about $900, can now be done for about $500. The lowest wages for union carpenters is $3.25 a day for eight hours.

W. H. Clark, a coal dealer of Northampton, claimed that the wholesale price of coal is $1 a ton higher at present than it was eight years ago, while the cost of labor is about 25 per cent. more. These facts together with the increased cost of grain have contributed to reduce the profit on coal, so that the net proceeds are less for the retailer than several years ago.

Commissioner McSweeney said that it had been stated in Boston that the retail coal dealers make a mixture of pea coal and nut coal and sell it for the same prices that they do the nut coal.

Mr. Clark said that this is done usually when coal is sold in small quantities, whereupon Mr. McSweeney asked if this was not cheating the customer. The witness replied he did not think so, as coal in small quantities cannot be sold as cheaply as in large quantities. That is one way, Mr. Clark said, by which the retail coal dealer makes his profit.

DEMOCRATS WON

HELENA, Mont., April 5.—In the city elections in this state yesterday the democratic and independent candidates were generally successful though party lines were not closely drawn.



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"TWIN" SULLIVAN

Gave Sailor Burke a Bad Beating

NEW YORK, April 5.—Jack (Twin) Sullivan, the Boston middleweight, gave Sailor Burke of Brooklyn, a bad beating in a 10 round bout at the Marathon A. C. in Brooklyn last night. Sullivan floored the sailor in the first and eighth rounds with a right to the jaw and had him groggy at several stages of the bout.

PAL MOORE WON

NEW YORK, April 5.—Pal Moore of Philadelphia, who claims the bantamweight championship, had it all his own way last night in a 10 round bout with Willie Jones of Brooklyn, at the Olympic A. C. in Harlem. Jones showed some cleverness but was outclassed.

FOUGHT A DRAW

NEW YORK, April 5.—Porky Flynn of Boston fought 10 rounds to a draw last night with Jim Savage of Orange, N. J., at the National Sporting Club of America. For seven rounds Savage had all the better of the bout but in the eighth Flynn floored him twice and had the better of the contest thereafter. Both men were clumsy and the fight was very rough. Flynn was cautioned several times by the referee and once threatened with dismissal from the ring.

WALSH WON

SCHENECTADY, N. Y., April 5.—Young Britt and Jimmy Walsh danced and hugged through 10 rather slow rounds here last night, Walsh winning the popular decision on points.

DIAMOND NOTES

A Lynn writer dopes it as follows:

On paper it looks as if Hamilton had mustered a bunch of recruits that would help him in his one desire to beat out Jesse Burkett and the latter's four-time champs. But a few of the old faces of last year's team are down on the list for work this season.

Cargo, for three years shortstop on the Utica club, comes to Lynn for that position, vice Joe O'Rourke, who found the Lynn club not big enough for both himself and Hamilton. Joe was traded to Albany and is to captain that club.

Pete Burg of Chicago, who last year was the smallest player in organized ball in the country, will hold down Harry Lord's corner at third. He comes back to Lynn a bigger favorite than ever and with extra salary for which he held out.

Tom Logan the second baseman secured from Burkett in trade for Billy Page, will, many fans believe, do better work for Lynn than he did for Worcester. He wanted a change, and so consented to a trade.

Metz, a young first sacker owned by the New York Giants, will undoubtedly be the successful candidate for the initial sack. He has several rivals who are doped out by their admirers to stand a chance, but the New York player ought to nose out.

Of the boxmen booked for the team Nukey Abbott of Wakefield, Charlie Girard of Brooklyn, McIntyre of New York and Barnicle, formerly with Burkett, appear to be Hamilton's principal quota. At least six other pitchers, including Smith of Watertown, are on the list for a chance to prove spell-binders.

"Gus" Daum, long since considered the best backstop in this league, will lead the bunch of recruits for his position and at the end of the practice help to pick out which one will be his side-partner.

There are several infielders in addition to the regular list who will report this week at Ocean Park. In the out-garden there are also plenty of candidates, all of whom have wired in advance their ability to clout the ball hard.

An exchange says:

Paul Howard, a Neponset youth who starred two seasons in the New England league with Lowell, broke his ankle in a practice game at Wichita, Kan., this week and will probably be out of the game all season. Howard was purchased by the Boston Americans last fall and this spring was turned over to St. Paul. He was making good and was already carded for a regular berth in the outfield when he was put out of the game by accident. His ankle was broken as he slid into second base.

Pitcher Ralph Cutting, drafted by the Pittsburg world's champions from Brockton last season, is considerably bothered with a sore arm since leaving West Baden with the Pirates, but Pittsburg papers say that he has an excellent chance of remaining with the team, as a couple of other southpaw pitchers with the squad are not showing the class exhibited by Cutting, and he is well thought of by the Pirate chiefs. He has shown the finest assortment of fancy stuff that any of the pitchers have turned loose and besides has played in the outfield a number of games, and fielded and batted well. Cutting is sure of a Class A berth if he doesn't play the coming season with the Pirates, which is more than likely, it is said, and Dreyfuss will keep a line on him anyway.

Pitcher Roy Eberly of Hinckley, Ill., drafted from the Racine, Mich., club of the Wisconsin-Illinois league for the Boston American league club and secured by Manager Flanagan for the Brockton club of 1910, is expected to be one of the members of the Brockton squad to report and will probably put in an appearance some time next week.

Eberly has had several years' experience in the west, and last season made a fine record with the Racine team, though that club finished only fourth in the race and won little better than half their games. He was in the same league with Dulin, the big third baseman, who has been secured also for the Brockton club.

Eberly won 17 games and lost 9 last season with Racine, and his work during the several seasons he has been pitching fine ball had attracted the attention of the scouts, and several big league clubs were after him.

The Boston Americans got a draft on the promising young player, and though they have so many pitchers that they won't use Eberly this season, Patsy Donovan was very anxious to keep his find near the Hub where he could watch him develop and maintains a "string" on him. Eberly is a young ball player, about 21 years old, but is cool-headed and clever, a big fellow with right hand delivery, and it is expected that he will make quite a reputation in his debut in the New England league.

"Stuffy" McInnis, the Gloucester youngster who played with the Haverhill New England league club at shortstop two years ago creating such a sensation that he was snapped up by Connie Mack of the Philadelphia Americans and kept under his tutelage all last season, broke his left knee cap in an exhibition game with the Nashville, Tenn., last Friday, and has been ordered back to Philadelphia, and besides being laid up for the remainder of the present season may be out of the game for good.

No youngster in the big league company gave greater promise than McInnis and the report of his injury comes as a great shock to his many friends and admirers, both at home and in this city. He wrote to a friend in Gloucester that on Friday last he was hit in the knee with a pitched ball and that it hurt him badly. The injury was not considered a serious one at the time, but a telegram from "Stuffy" says that he has broken his knee cap and had been ordered back to Philadelphia.

McInnis went south with the Philadelphia Americans and gave great promise of making the team by his work in the infield. He left with the regulars for the return trip north and had gotten as far as Nashville when the streak of bad luck overtook him. Last season he played much of the time with the Atlantic City, N. J., club.

The Lawrence management says that if Harry Noyes is coming to any team in the New England league that he will come to this city. The story that was published in the Boston Herald to the effect that he had agreed to play with Haverhill is thought to be a mistake, as the papers passed from Nashville to Lawrence, whereby the player became the property of the Lawrence club. If he plays with any team outside of Lawrence then he does so with the consent of the local club. Lawrence has not waived its right to the player, so that his future course is up to the local management. Noyes is a third baseman who has played in the Connecticut league, but who was with Nashville last season. He does not like the south. He is said to be a good man.—Lawrence Eagle.

The signed contract of Bobby Vance arrived yesterday and Manager O'Brien was quite relieved to get it, says the Fall River Globe. Although Vance agreed orally to terms last week, he allowed several days to elapse before signing the contract, which disturbed the local manager in view of the fact that "Pop" Foster was pulling wires to land the husky youngster for Holyoke. There is a possibility that Vance may try out at first base, although he hasn't committed himself to that course yet.

Shaw, a fast young fielder from Providence, who has shone in the Mill league, will probably be given a tryout here. Charles Lanigan, the umpire, brought him down here the other night so that the situation could be discussed with him. Reports from players who opposed him in that league are to the effect that Shaw is a likely performer. —Fall River Globe.

"RUBE" WADDELL MARRIED

ST. LOUIS, April 5.—George Edward Waddell, pitcher for the St. Louis Americans, and Miss Madge MacDuff of Pattiesburg, Miss., were married last night. Waddell recently obtained a divorce from his first wife, a Boston woman.

COLONEL ROOSEVELT LOOKING FOR HIS WIFE AND LAST PICTURE OF AFRICAN HUNT



NEW YORK, April 5.—While Kermit Roosevelt has lost his beard—the beard he grew during a year in the jungle—Colonel Roosevelt, according to cablegrams, has nothing to show now in a physical way of his long hunt but hardened muscles and a deep tan. The first photographs of Colonel Roosevelt's farewell to his faithful native hunters of Africa have just arrived in this country. One of the most striking pictures shows the colonel leaning over the side of his boat as it floated down the Nile, anxious to catch a glimpse of his wife, who he thought was waiting at the dock to see him.

CRACK SWIMMERS ENTERED IN NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP EVENT



ST. LOUIS, April 5.—Swimming enthusiasts here are deeply interested in the coming national 150 yards back stroke championship to be held at the Missouri A. C., April 9. Nearly all the crack swimmers of the west and some from the east are entered, and a lively contest is expected. The dark horse in the race is Edward Maisack, the East Liberty A. C. of Pittsburg star, who is heralded by his clubmates as fast a back stroke swimmer as ever was produced. He has covered 150 yards in 2 minutes and 2 seconds from a tidewater start, and this is better than Daniels' mark of 2 minutes 4 2-5 seconds and almost as good as Goessling's record of 2 minutes 1-5 second, made from a dive. A dive means at least the advantage of one second. Maisack is practically a novice, but it is thought he will give Goessling the race of his life when they meet. J. M. Handy, the national ten mile champion, is entered and will no doubt come near capturing the contest.

WORCESTER BOY

Says That Strangers Shipped Him Away

BOSTON, April 5.—Claiming he had been thrown into a coal car attached to a moving freight train by two unknown men, Walter L. Granger, 19 years old, of Worcester, was found in a pitiable condition by the station master at Riverside station, Auburndale, late yesterday afternoon.

Young Granger is a son of Arthur Granger, a carpenter, of East Worcester street, Worcester, and says that while on his way to school shortly before 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon he stopped to play with a schoolmate in a freight yard in Worcester. The lad says two strange men came along and, picking him up, carried him a short way and dropped him into a slowly passing freight train. The train quickly gathered speed and, not daring to attempt to get out, the boy was carried to Riverside, the first stop the freight made.

The police were notified and the boy was taken to headquarters at West Newton, where he was cared for. The police are investigating the boy's story. In the meantime Lieut. Soule has him under his care.

JIM JEFFRIES

STARTED FOR HIS TRAINING CAMP TODAY

SAN FRANCISCO, April 5.—"I have been practically in training for this fight for a year," said Jim Jeffries today before starting for his training camp in the Santa Cruz mountains, "and I know pretty well by this time what I can do. The weight is not bothering me in the least. I am going to be fit when I enter the ring. For all the work I have done I expect to spend a hard three months in the Santa Cruz mountains. I can stand the training and I want to be absolutely perfect. I have not said that this fellow Johnson would be tough or that he would be easy. You can't tell about those matters."

TEXTILES SHOWED WELL

The Textile school first and freshmen teams crossed bats on the campus yesterday afternoon, the first team winning by a score of 11 to 2. For an opener both teams put up a good game and gave great promise of good work later.

The lineup: First team—Murray, Hartford, p; Thaxter, c; North, 1b; Hardy, 2b; Gale ss; Phillips, 3b; Jefferson, lf; Daw, cf; Wise, rf.

Freshmen—Keough, p; Frost, c; Crane, Casey, 1b; Munroe, 2b; Niven, ss; Miner, 3b; Coan, lf; Hastings, cf; Clarke, rf.

CONKLIN WON BILLIARD GAME

NEW YORK, April 5.—Charles F. Conklin, of the Chicago Athletic association, a former national champion, won the opening game of the annual tournament of the National Association of Amateur Billiard players at the Hamilton club, Brooklyn, last night. His opponent was Dr. Walter E. Uffenheimer of Philadelphia, and the final score was 400 to 243. The game was 400 points up, 18.2 balk line, anchor barred, and each man reached his 52nd inning before the game was decided. Conklin did not get good control of the ivories until the 42nd inning, when he made a run of 69.

HOLE IN GLOVE

Caused the Death of a Lineman

BOSTON, April 5.—Unaware that there was a break in his rubber glove, Michael Clancy, a lineman in the employ of the Edison Electric Illuminating company, started to repair a live wire at the corner of Humboldt ave., and Brookledge street, Roxbury, at 2 o'clock, yesterday afternoon, and touching the wire with a metal tool, which he held in the supposedly safely enshrouded hand, sustained a shock of about 4600 volts, death being instantaneous.

The body fell to the sidewalk with a thud, the sight causing two women, who were passing, to swoon. The lifeless body was carried to a nearby dwelling and a physician summoned. One glance was sufficient to tell the doctor that life had departed.

An examination of Clancy's glove showed that there was a small hole, caused by wear, between the thumb and fore-finger and it was through this tiny aperture that the electricity raced causing the lineman to lose control of his arms and fall forward onto the wire. He apparently straightened when his body came in contact with the wire and tumbled backward and to the sidewalk, a distance of twenty feet.

The body was removed to the city hospital morgue. Clancy was 40 years of age and single. He boarded with Mrs. Mary Burke at 70 Zigler street and leaves a brother, John, in Springfield.

RECORD MAN

WAS ARRESTED BY THE BOSTON POLICE

BOSTON, April 5.—Ernest D. Blackwell, who holds the undisputed record of being arrested more times than any other man in Boston, is again in the custody of the local police. Headquarters men have long since got tired, they say, of keeping tabs on the number of times that Blackwell has been arrested, but venture that 50 times in 15 years would be a conservative estimate.

Blackwell is a petty offender. Passing worthless checks for small amounts, small business chance frauds, larceny, non-support of his wife and wife-beating are some of the charges that he has been arrested upon. Charged with passing three worthless checks, aggregating $11.77, landed him in a cell yesterday.

COBB RESOLUTION

IN CONGER CASE WILL NOT BE ACTED UPON

ALBANY, N. Y., April 5.—Senator Ben Conger's voluntary withdrawal from the senate last night made it unnecessary for the judiciary committee to act today on the Cobb resolution providing for the appointment of a committee to draw up charges against ex-Senator Allds' accuser as a result of the disclosures made during the bribery investigation.

Conger had asked to be heard in his own behalf and the committee had fixed today at 10 a. m. as the time for hearing what he might have to say.

DESTROYED BY FIRE

Arthur Rhodes Lost Big Auto on the Nashua Road

A Wayne touring car, the property of Arthur Rhodes, proprietor of the hair store in Merrimack street, was destroyed by fire on the Nashua road, about two miles and a half beyond Tyngsboro, Sunday evening.

Mr. Rhodes with his family and some friends from out of town were enjoying a little joy ride when the accident occurred. The beginning of the trouble was the breaking of a push rod. While Mr. Rhodes was puzzling his brain over the broken rod, William Hinckley, the Middle street electrician, happened along in his car and after looking the break over decided to take the rod to Nashua. When he returned with the rod it was found that it didn't fit and just for that Mr. Hinckley had to make another trip to Nashua.

In the meantime Mr. Rhodes had sent his family and guests home in carriages. Mr. Rhodes and Mr. Hinckley had removed two or three little bolts and Mr. Rhodes thought he could facilitate matters by putting the bolts in position before the arrival of Mr. Hinckley from Nashua on his second trip.

Darkness had set in and in order to see where the bolts belonged Mr. Rhodes had to light a match. The lighting of the match was followed by a little puff of blue light and then it was all off. The oil saturated canvas serving as an apron, on the bottom of the machine was reached by the little blue light and the touring car was a wreck in less time than it takes to tell it.

The thing had just happened when Mr. Hinckley arrived from Nashua. He and Mr. Rhodes, assisted by persons living in the vicinity, threw sand and gravel upon the fire but it was a hopeless case. Mr. Rhodes telephoned the fire department in Nashua but they said he would have to "let 'er burn" as the department couldn't do anything with a gasoline fire. When the thing was over all that remained was the frame and engine which were cast into a field for future reference. The car was insured through the agency of Fred C. Church.

EIGHT HOUR BILL

Passed to Third Reading in House Yesterday

The eight hour bill came up in the legislature yesterday and was passed to a third reading.

All the Lowell members of the house voted for the bill with the exception of Rep. Charles T. Killpartrick.

FUNERALS

SHORE—All that was mortal of the late Sarah Shore, wife of Zachariah Shore, was consigned to its final resting place in the family lot in the Catholic cemetery yesterday. The esteem in which the deceased was held by her many friends and relatives was evidenced by the large attendance at the funeral and the profusion of beautiful floral tributes.

The funeral which took place from her late home, 151 Humphrey street, at 8.30 o'clock was attended by relatives and friends, including many from out of town and proceeded to St. Michael's church in Sixth street where a high mass of requiem was celebrated at nine o'clock by Rev. Dennis J. Murphy. The choir was in attendance and rendered the Gregorian mass, appropriate solos being rendered by members of the choir during the service.

Among the beautiful floral offerings the following were the most prominent: Heart on base, bearing the inscription "Dear Wife," from the husband of the deceased; mammoth vacant chair of roses, carnations, galax leaves and maiden hair ferns, from Frank, Raymond and Mary, children of deceased; pillow inscribed "Grandma," Arthur and Paul Shore; wreath on base, inscribed "Grandma," from Kathleen, Mabel and Zacchary Shore; star on base, inscribed "Sister," Mr. and Mrs. T. O'Toole of Brooklyn; basket of cut flowers, Orson Minor and family; cross on base, bearing the inscription "Eternal Rest," from the employes of the yard department of the Shaw Stocking company; wreath, yarn department, Shaw Stocking company; wreath, Messrs. Libby and Hall of the Shaw Stocking company; pillow of pinks and roses, Mr. and Mrs. William Bakewell of Lynn; large cross on base, from the employes of the Lowell post office; cross on base, Jas. Keefe, Mrs. Bowers and Mrs. Conroy; wreath, Agnes and Lizzie Gara; wreath, McCluskey family; wreath, James Bakewell and family; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. Roussell and family; wreath, Mrs. M. J. Meagher; spray of sweet peas, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Garland; spray of pinks, Mrs. L. J. Tighe and family; spray of pinks, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Kenney; spray of lilies, Michael Finley and family; spray of tulips, Mrs. Mary MacLaughlin and Miss Margaret MacLaughlin; spray of pinks, Edward O'Connor and family; spray of pinks, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Judge; spray of pinks, Mrs. John Whittaker and Mrs. E. L. Walker; spray of pinks, Mary Soroghan and Josie Mawn and spray of sweet peas, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Guild.

The bearers were Messrs. John Garrigan, Edward O'Connor, Joseph Shore, Dennis Reardon, William Hauchett and Charles P. Comerford.

The interment was in the Catholic cemetery where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Murphy. The funeral was under the direction of Funeral Director John F. Rogers.

BURNS—The funeral of the late Frederick J. Burns took place yesterday from his late home, 329 Concord street at 8.15 o'clock and was largely attended. The funeral cortege proceeded to the Immaculate Conception church where at 9 o'clock high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Dennis A. Sullivan, O. M. I. The music of the mass was particularly impressive. The choir under the direction of Joseph P. Courtney rendered the Gregorian chant. At the offertory Mr. Edward Shea sang "Pie Jesu." After the elevation John J. Dalton sang, "O Meritum Passionis", and as the body was leaving the church the choir sang "In Paradisum." Mrs. Hugh Walker presided at the organ. The bearers were Messrs. Timothy F. McCarthy, William F. Cawley, Frank P. McNulty, Edward P. Riley, James A. Harrington and Arthur Devlin. Present at the funeral was a delegation from the Eagles consisting of Messrs. George Garrett, Joseph Devine, Jeremiah Connors and Terrence F. Leonard. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery where Rev. Fr. Sullivan read the prayers at the grave. The interment was in charge of Undertaker Peter H. Savage and the funeral arrangements in charge of Timothy F. McCarthy.

Among the many beautiful floral tributes laid upon the grave were the following: Pillow inscribed "Our Boy," from parents; standing wreath on base, inscribed "Brother," from brother and sister of deceased; wreath, inscribed "Godfather," from Master Hugh F. Downey; broken wreath on sickle, Timothy F. McCarthy; standing cross of assorted flowers, Mr. and Mrs. James F. McCarthy and family; wreath of carnations, Miss Annie Devine; wreath of roses, Mr. and Mrs. Owen J. Carney; basket, Baby Ellen Devine; large pillow, Lowell Aerie, 223 Eagles; standing cross inscribed "Goodby Fred," Mr. and Mrs. John J. Pendergast; standing cross, Frank McNulty, John C. Rourke, Patrick Fitzgerald, Jas. E. Sullivan, Timothy B. Riley and William F. McVey, standing wreath, inscribed "Farewell," from James J. Harrington and John H. Moore; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. David Halloran; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Brine; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. Martin J. Halloran; spray of Jack roses, Misses Mary and Margaret Halloran; mound of carnations, Miss Tancred; wreath of tea roses, Mr. and Mrs. John McNeese; heart of carnations, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Callahan; spray, Miss Dorothy Bunker; mound, Mr. Martin Mack and Stephen Lawton; spray, Mr. and Mrs. Peter H. Donohoe; spray, a friend; spray, Henry Somers; spray, Mr. and Mrs. George Donnelly; wreath, Mr. William May.

DEATHS

CUFF—The many friends of Miss Annie T. Cuff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Cuff, will be deeply pained to learn of her death which occurred yesterday at the home of her parents, 195 Moore street. The deceased was a well known member of the Sacred Heart church, where she was a leader in all parish movements. She was a prominent member of the Children of Mary sodality. She leaves to mourn her loss besides her parents, five sisters, Misses Mary, Katherine and Josie Cuff, Mrs. John Murphy and Mrs. Joseph Fahey, and two brothers, Representative Thomas S. Cuff and James Cuff. Funeral notice later.

FUNERAL NOTICE

CLARK—The funeral of George E. Clark will take place Thursday morning instead of Wednesday morning as announced previously from his home, 103 Pleasant street at 9 o'clock. Mass of requiem at the Immaculate Conception church at 10 o'clock. J. F. O'Donnell & Sons in charge.

DRUG CLERK

WAS THE VICTIM OF A PRACTICAL JOKE.

A well known clerk in a Central street drug store was the victim of a practical joke at the northern station a few days ago. "Jimmy" invited his young lady friend who resides in Worcester to attend a dancing party in this city and the following day accompanied her to the train. Being a gallant young man he escorted her to a seat in the car and remained with her until time for the train to start. While seated with the young lady, two of his friends saw him and seeing a chance to joke "Jimmy" they purchased at a neighboring store some confetti and rice which they proceeded to shower on "Jimmy" and his young friend, until the attention of the other passengers was attracted to the young couple. It was about train time then, and when "Jimmy" made his escape from the car, just as it was pulling out of the station, other passengers must have come to the conclusion that there was a desertion.

TWO BURGLARS

WERE SCARED AWAY BY A NEWTON GIRL

NEWTON, April 5.—Two burglars were scared from the home of C. P. Kelly, 28 Bowdoin street, Newton Highlands, early yesterday morning by a youthful maid, who chased the two desperadoes with a broomstick.

The servant, Miss Cecilia Gallagan, heard a noise in the lower floors of the house and seizing a cut-off broom handle that she keeps by her bedside, she walked bravely down the stairs.

Observing two burglars in the act of putting some jewelry in a bag she cried "police!" and rushed at them, brandishing the stick.

The two intruders took to their heels and, leaping through an open window in the dining-room, disappeared in the darkness. Neighbors were awakened by the cries of the maid and came to aid her. The thieves escaped in the woods behind the house.

The police believe that the men are the same men who entered the home of Fred O. Loveland on Elmwood street last week, and stole $200 worth of jewelry. The operations of these two burglars are peculiar, inasmuch as they take nothing but jewelry.

NOTICE

Industry council 1722, R. A., will hold Ladies' Night at Odd Fellows Temple, Middlesex St., Wednesday evening, April 6, at 8 o'clock. Members invited without further notice.

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CONGER RESIGNS

Senator Says His Usefulness as Legislator is Ended

ALBANY, N. Y., April 5.—Rising to a question of personal privilege in the senate last night, Sen. Benn Conger, after reading a statement in which he declared he fully realized that as a consequence of the Allds bribery charges his usefulness as a legislator was at an end, handed his resignation to Lieutenant Governor White, a duplicate of which he later filed with the secretary of state.

With ashen face and trembling hand Sen. Jotham P. Allds' accuser read from a typewritten statement giving his reasons for severing his official connection with the senate. When he had finished he sent his resignation to the desk and quickly left the chamber.

Sen. Conger said he sought no excuse for the part he took in the bribery transaction in 1901. "The one grand sorrowful regret of my brother," he said, "was that he had submitted to the demand of the worst gang of plunderers that ever infested this or any other capitol."

Conger's statement, in part, follows:

"On January 4 last, in a private conference where the qualifications of ex-Sen. Allds for the position of republican leader of the senate were being considered, I was asked to declare my position. I replied that I would not and could not vote for him because I had personal knowledge that he was morally unfit for the place. I told them in confidence, what I, as a witness on the stand, have since then told you, namely, that I personally knew that in 1901, when republican leader in the assembly, he had held up and demanded of the bridge companies and had received from them the sum of one thousand dollars to influence his official action, and that I did not purpose by any act of mine, to place him again in position where he could levy blackmail on the business interests of this state.

"It appears that this statement became known to Mr. Allds on the following morning. On January 19, on this floor, he denied the truth of those statements and demanded an investigation thereof. Thereupon, this body ordered an investigation of the matter and called upon me to present the charge to the senate and to make good by proof, to the public, the statements which I had made in private.

"So the alternative was presented to me of becoming a liar and thereby remaining a member of this body in good standing, or of speaking the truth, and thereby greatly injuring myself financially, politically and socially, and bringing upon my family undesirable notoriety and sorrow. I determined that the only thing I could do and retain my own self respect, was to speak the truth, whatever the cost. That I have done, and forty of your number by your votes, have certified thereto.

"I do not seek to excuse, nor do I ask you or others to excuse the part which I took in the transaction of 1901 which you have had under investigation. The one great and sorrowful regret of my brother was that he had submitted to the demand of the worst gang of plunderers that ever infested this or any other capitol. My wrong, and for it I have always been ashamed and sincerely sorry, was in standing by and permitting the thing to be done instead of then and there denouncing it.

Notwithstanding the fact that the policy of the state is that the bribegiver who, by his evidence assists in uncovering and proving the offense, ought not to be punished; and notwithstanding the fact I have made full disclosure of the transaction, I am informed that it is now proposed by some of your members to appoint a committee which shall prepare and present to this body charges against me, and that a trial of such charges is now proposed to be had and an attempt made to expel me as a member of this body.

"I have no desire to remain a member of this great legislative body if my presence is to give offense to any of its members. I realize that my usefulness to my district as a member of this legislature is at an end. Needed legislation ought not to be longer delayed and so I am going to voluntarily surrender my office.

"While a member of this body, I have at all times and in all things tried to do my duty as I have seen it. I am sure that in what I have done in connection with the investigation which has just closed, I have but discharged a duty which I owed my party and to the people of this state, and that I have been true to myself."

Sen. Cobb's resolution providing for the appointment of a committee to prepare charges against Sen. Conger was to have been considered by the senate judiciary committee today and Conger had asked for a hearing. His resignation last night marks the end of the bribery scandal.

House lots to be sold in Lowell Highlands on Saturday, April 9th, have city conveniences, and are within five minutes' walk of three schools.

DRACUT

The annual meeting of the Dracut water supply district will be held tonight at the Grange hall in Dracut Centre.

The annual report of the water commissioners is in circulation and it contains much valuable information, especially to those who reside in the water district.

The treasurer's report shows the receipts of the district including water rates, taxes and loans to have been $14,133.52. Of that amount, $13,673.82 was paid out on commissioner's orders, interest, note and bond debt, leaving a cash balance of $459.80.

The financial statement of the commissioners includes the above figures besides giving the amounts due the district. These are itemized as follows: Due from taxes, $1037.19; water rates, $282.23; construction account, $244.06; total amount due $1563.48, which with cash balance of $459.80, totals, $2023.28.

The anticipation loan note of $1975 about due will reduce the cash on hand account to $48.28.

Under construction the several acquisitions to the mains, mains and house services during the year are itemized in a lucidly detailed manner. This shows the total construction expense to have been $506.67. The receipts and amounts due from construction is placed at $738.76 making net cost for the work including material and stock to have been $5767.81.

A total of 7799 feet of pipe of various sizes was put in during the year; 36 services were added making 222 water takers; the district now has 9.08 miles of pipe and the total cost of construction is placed at $66,993.81.

The total cost of maintenance for the year was $556.86, which with superintendent's salary and interest on bonds makes the total maintenance of $4056.46.

The total amount of water pumped during the year was 13,386,322 gallons. The total cost of pumping a million gallons per gasoline consumption was $17.33. For pumping same amount figured on total maintenance, $114.69. Cost of supplying per million gallons figured on total maintenance, $303.10.

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BOOK-A-MONTH CLUB

The Book-a-Month club met last night at the residence of Dr. Roderique Mignault, 841 Merrimack street, with a large attendance of members. Mrs. William E. Kezer presided at the business meeting and Mrs. Herbert E. Fletcher of Westford gave an interesting as well as instructive talk on Halley's comet. After several books were discussed an excellent musical program was given by Miss Elnora Burke, violinist, formerly a pupil at the Perkins Institute for the Blind, and Mr. Harrison A. Cooke, of the class '12 of Textile school, pianist. A social hour followed and Mrs. F. L. Roberts and Mrs. William Stanley served, assisted by Mrs. August P. Sarre and Miss Emily Cornock. A vote of thanks was given Miss Burke and Mr. Cooke.

ROYAL ARCANUM

Industry Council, 1722, Royal Arcanum will conduct a ladies' night at its meeting Wednesday evening in Odd Fellows temple, Middlesex street. There will be whist from 8.30 to 10.30 under the direction of the following committee: James W. McKenna, Paul Murray and Regent John W. Sharkey. Suitable prizes will be awarded to the ladies and gentlemen making the highest number of points in whist. In the upper hall dancing will begin at 8 o'clock and continue all evening, music for the occasion being furnished by Gilmore's orchestra under the direction of Bro. Wm. T. Gilmore. During intermission a collation will be served by the committee. The officers of the affair are as follows: General manager, David A. Hogan; floor marshal, James E. Gorman; aids, James Boyd, Paul Murray, Joseph Kelley, James Carney, Harvey Chase, James Tully, James Maguire, James Schrigley. Reception committee, John W. Sharkey, chairman; Frank Fox, secretary; Wm. H. Stafford, R. T. Mower, Dr. Joseph H. Meehan, Thomas Moss, John J. Ivers, Charles H. O'Donnell, Thomas P. Boulger, M. Sullivan, Thomas McDermod, James Dunn, John Conway, Thomas Ready, Geo. Maguire, James W. McKenna, Alexander Rountree, Dr. Hugh Walker; officers of the committee, D. A. Hogan, chairman; James W. McKenna, secretary.

Lowell, Tuesday, April 5, 1910

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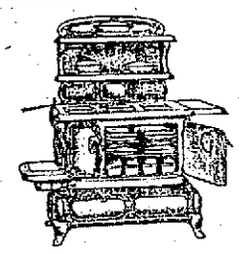
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REV. DR. FRANCIS

Spoke on Christian Socialism at Worthen Street Church

"The Program of Constructive Christianity" was the subject of an interesting address by Rev. Dr. J. A. Francis before the Lowell Baptist Union in the Worthen Street Baptist church, last night. Dr. Francis is pastor of the Clarendon Street Baptist church, Boston. He said, in part:

"Much Socialism levels down the man from the top, but Christian Socialism believes in lifting up the men from the bottom. Christ will never cease in his work here until the industrial and economic realms are pervaded with the same spirit we carry into our missionary labors. Every realm of human activity is some day to be consecrated to Jesus Christ, just as our Christian church is now.

"Great emphasis has in recent years been laid on the social side of Christianity; more than was ever laid before. We used to be very particular about a man's theological beliefs. Now when a man wants to come into a church we ask how he lives and how he treats his fellow men. Is there a change in the attitude of the church towards men, or is it a new reading of the gospel, which imparts our new ideas?

"I believe that many workingmen and working women believe that the church is always against the downtrodden, but God is always on the side of fair play, always on the side of the under dog, when he is kept under. If workingmen and women would see God in that light, it would be a precious boon for the Christian church. Too long the church has been looked upon as antagonistic to the working people.

"I can go to a city in this country and stand before the mansion of a man who is reputed to be worth between 200 and 250 millions, and within four minutes' walk from that man's home I can show you women working over sewing machines 14 hours a day for 63 cents! I wonder what an old Hebrew prophet would say if turned loose among such conditions. He would make the people of this world sit up and take notice. He would make Teddy and his big stick look very mild, indeed!

"Some people read through the New Testament to find out individual salvation. But no man or woman who makes of his or her life a business of getting to heaven himself or herself will ever get there. There isn't any room for such people.

"I want to say something. Some may disagree with me. It will give you a chance to think, anyway. I'm enough of a Baptist to think a bit more of the men who disagree with me than of the man who agrees with me.

"I don't believe that the Christian religion and our competitive system of business will ever flourish permanently side by side. One of them is going to kill the other. The competitive idea in business life is an un-Christian idea. Christian men may take the edge off it, but until cooperation takes the place of competition this world will not be Christianized. The change cannot come suddenly, with a revolution. Such changes must work about gradually."

The union met about 7 o'clock in the vestry and Dr. Francis came late. At 7.30 o'clock invocation was given by Rev. R. A. Willmott, pastor of the First Congregational church. This was followed by supper, and about 8.30 o'clock the evening's program was given. Miss Mildred Brennan gave a violin number, and the quartet of the church sang the "Bridal Song." Minor business was then transacted, and the quartet followed with its second number, "Moonlight and Music." The formal greeting to the union was given by Rev. Allan C. Ferrin, president of the Lowell Congregational club, and after this Miss Brennan played another violin solo. The evening closed with the singing of "I am Thine, O Lord," by the union, and with the giving of the benediction.

Gilmore's Prescott hall, tonight.

FOR CHILDREN'S HOME

An entertainment for the benefit of the Children's Home in Kirk street will be held in Colonial hall tonight. The program will be in charge of Mildred Sheldon Bass, dramatic reader, assisted by the Anita quartet.

MAJORITY OF 106

In Favor of Premier Asquith

LONDON, April 5.—Under Premier Asquith's guillotine procedure, the house of commons last night rejected, by a vote of 357 to 251, the opposition amendment to the premier's resolution of the veto power of the house of lords, which was moved by Sir Robert Finlay, and agreed that the premier's motion should go to committee without division.

The house was crowded and many peers and diplomats were present. The announcement of the figures, showing that the government was sure of a majority of 106 for the veto resolutions, was greeted with prolonged ministerial cheers.

Remember the sale of house lots on Saturday, April 9, at 2.30 p. m., in the Lowell Highlands is not a land boom. The owner is selling on account of poor health.

HOLY NAME

OF IMMACULATE CONCEPTION PARISH HELD MEETING.

At a well attended meeting of the Holy Name society of the Immaculate Conception parish, held last night, 22 new members were admitted and four propositions for membership were received.

The committee in charge of the concert and lecture which is to be held in the school hall Thursday night in aid of the church debt fund reported progress. Mr. David Martin is to have charge of the concert and Rev. Fr. Nolan, O. M. I., pastor of the Immaculate Conception church, will deliver a lecture.

Gilmore's Prescott hall, tonight.

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This is by far the largest average circulation of any newspaper in Lowell.

The general court evidently does not intend to have any radical change in the liquor laws take effect this year.

Matters are moving very slowly in the public hall matter. The city council has the power to do as it pleases in this matter, and it is to be hoped it will take hold and see that the best interests of the city will be subserved in the selection of a site and the construction of a building.

The gold of Lebanon, N. H., has been assayed as "mud" not quite up to the standard of the material which a noted faker extracted from sea water when he deposited a little gold dust with the sand to convince his dupes that sea water is auriferous and that only the right process of extraction is needed to reap an immense fortune.

The republican leaders are anxious to see Mr. Foss get the nomination for governor next fall. They feel that in congress he will be a standing menace to the party interests. Had Mr. Foss' policy of reciprocity with Canada been followed in the past, Secretary Knox would not have been obliged to accept such an unfavorable settlement as the recent tariff compact with Canada.

THE POPULAR SIDE.

Certain members of the legislature are not raising themselves in public esteem when they admit openly that they voted for a bill which they believed to be bad, simply to be on the popular side. The member who votes for what he believes to be wrong merely to avoid criticism is not the right man to represent the people. The man who votes for the right as he sees it, not the man who takes the popular side right or wrong, is the man in whom the people should put their trust.

FAST TRAINS TO NEW YORK.

Lowell is to be felicitated upon the new fast train service to and from New York. That is an example of the benefits of having the N. Y., N. H. & H. controlling the service in New England.

The through train from Lowell to New York will enable a resident of Lowell to leave this city at 11.50 or practically at noon and arrive in New York at 5.55, leaving ample time to have supper and get ready for the opera. By leaving New York at 9 a. m. the return train reaches Lowell at 3.05. Thus the trip either way is made in six hours and five minutes, which is a gain of more than an hour over the best time possible under the old schedules.

THE PITTSBURG DISGRACE.

Only profound sympathy can be felt for the city of Pittsburg in the disgraceful revelations of corruption among her elected officials and her business men. As a rule it is almost impossible to secure evidence of bribery, but in the Pittsburg cases the officials who received the money seem to be tumbling over one another to tell all about it. The charges affect so many and such eminent men that everybody is astonished. The press of Pittsburg has not done its duty or such a state of affairs never could have existed for a single month. It is a serious thing for a newspaper to charge public officials with corruption or the acceptance of bribes because the people who offer the bribes, being equally amenable to punishment, may be expected to deny the charge, unless some documentary evidence be forthcoming that makes their denial worthless. The evidence has leaked out in Pittsburg and it has smirched the character of men in high station. We blush for the press of a city like Pittsburg that permitted such corruption to run riot without prompt exposure.

A HUMANE MEASURE.

A bill is now before the legislature, the purpose of which is quite humane, but yet the constitutionality of which may be questioned.

Rep. Quinn of Swampscott submitted a bill last year, the object of which was to prevent cities and towns from publishing the names of the unfortunates who receive aid from town, city or state or soldiers' relief. Many towns have considered it necessary as a guarantee of honesty on the part of their officials to publish a detailed list of all disbursements. This, of course, would include the names of those who receive relief as paupers. The publication would serve not only to show what was done with the money but also to prevent unworthy parties being kept on the relief list. But it would at the same time expose unnecessarily the identity of those who receive relief regularly.

It is difficult to say to a town or city that such publication shall not be made, but on the other hand it seems needlessly harsh to publish the names. Only a mere suggestion should be needed to avert a course that would not only wound the feelings of the worthy recipients of aid but would also prevent many worthy poor from applying for relief when they sorely need it. It is a mistake to suppose that all the poor are ready to apply for or accept relief from a city or town. Families have been known to suffer want almost to the point of starvation rather than apply for aid.

Rep. Quinn means all right in pushing this bill, but if good judgment prevailed among the officials of towns and cities engaged in the dispensation of relief no such law would be necessary.

The people fear publicity of this kind. The unfortunates who appear in police court are equally averse to publicity, although every decent newspaper respects their feelings to a far greater extent than is supposed by the general public. It very often requires a law, however, to oblige some people to perform their simple duty. That is the only excuse for enacting Rep. Quinn's bill which in the opinion of some towns would prohibit a course which has been resorted to only as a protection to the taxpayers against imposition and dishonesty.

SEEN AND HEARD

There's many a man talks another man's think when he ought to be thinking his own.

Some of us would delight in gardening if it wasn't so hard on one's back.

Birthday celebrations sometimes furnish food for reflection.

She was the lady of his choice and he took no pains to conceal it.

"I'll bet you don't know what day tomorrow is," she announced suddenly.

"Why, Tuesday, of course," he answered in a puzzled tone.

"Oh, I don't mean that kind of a day. I knew you didn't know."

"I don't know. What do you mean?" he replied, helplessly.

"Well, I guess I'll have to tell you." She pretended she was hurt. "It will be my birthday."

"Congratulations, Alice. Congratulations," he exclaimed, enthusiastically. "And how old may—"

"That's for you to find out," she answered, laughing.

"Well, I bet I know."

"You do?"

"Yes, and I'll tell you what I'll do, I'll send you a rose for every year of your life. How will that do?"

At the florist's he found the assistant unoccupied.

"Send Miss Casey eighteen of your best roses tomorrow morning. You know the address. Eighteen. Your best. Understand?" The boy understood.

Half an hour later the proprietor was looking over the order book.

"What did Mr. Graham order today?"

"Eighteen roses, sir" answered Willie.

"Eighteen? He's a pretty good customer. Throw in a dozen more."

—National Monthly

"ME AND YOU"

What's the best thing that you have ever done?
The whitest day,
The cleverest play
That you ever set in the shine of the sun?
The time that you full just a wee bit proud
Of defying the cry of the cowardly crowd
And stood back to back with God?
Aye, I notice you nod,
But silence yourself, lest you bring me shame
That I have no answering deed to name.

What's the worst thing that ever you did?
The darkest spot,
The blackest blot
On the page you have pasted together and hid?
Ah, sometimes you think you've forgotten it quite,
Till it crawls in your bed in the dead of the night
And brands you its own with a blush.
What was it? Nay, hush!
Don't tell it to me, for fear it be known
That I have an answering blush of my own.

But whenever you notice a clean hit made,
Sing high and clear
The sounding cheer
You would gladly have heard for the play you played.
And when a man walks in the way forbidden,
Think you of the thing you have happily bidden
And spare him the sting of your tongue.
Do I do that which I've sung?
Well, it may be I don't and it may be I do,
But I'm telling the thing which is good for you!

—Edmund Vance Cook.

PEOPLE OF NOTE

Dr. Gouraud, the French dietetian, says that a rational diet is one that while pleasant to the taste, maintains the bodily equilibrium, favors the easy working of all the organs and reduces to a minimum the work they have to do.

A telegram from London affirms that Louis Parker is to make the English version of "Chantecler" and that Miss Adams will play the part of the Cock in America. Such a choice for the part seems almost incredible. Guitry, who is acting Chantecler in Paris, is a man of unusual physical and nervous strength and in the flower of his years. Yet time and again he has said publicly and privately that the burden of disguise, action and long speeches was almost beyond his endurance. And now Miss Adams, the fragile in all but nervous ambition, would make such a venture. Yet it was years before she quite wore away the effects of the over-strain of "L'Aiglon" upon her bodily and her histrionic resources.

An interesting law suit has been started by the widow of Emile Zola against the Cheap Homes society of Paris. It appears that soon after the death of the author Mme. Zola presented to the society a bronze statue by Pietro Vorghi, representing a chained galley slave. The pedestal bore an inscription laudatory of Zola's work in the interest of Captain Dreyfus. No appropriate place could be found by the society for the erection of the memorial, and it was stored in a shed. There it was improperly braced and recently it fell and was broken. There were no funds available to make repairs, so it was broken up and sold for junk, the society realizing 350 francs. Mme. Zola now sues the society for 10,000 francs. "All who know her," says a Paris letter, "realize that Mme. Zola is not interested in the money part of the suit, but she hopes to win in order that punishment may fall upon the society."

Andrew Carnegie's gift of $40,000 to Wells College for the establishment of a Frances Cleveland Library in honor of a Mrs. Cleveland, who is a Wells graduate, was announced the other day at the twenty-seventh annual luncheon of the Eastern Association of the College at Sherry's. Mrs. Cleveland, who is in Europe, sent her regrets at being unable to attend.

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All Who Suffer From Catarrh, Sore Throat or Colds

Millions of people throughout America have breathed Hyomei (pronounce it High-o-me) and now own a Hyomei inhaler made of hard rubber.

If you own a Hyomei Inhaler, no matter where you live, you can get a bottle of Hyomei at druggists everywhere and at Carter & Sherburne's for only 50c.

Ask for an extra bottle of Hyomei Inhalent; the price is only 50c and with it you can cure a cough or a cold in a day.

You can get relief from catarrh or stuffed up head in two minutes and stop hawking and snuffling in a week.

Just pour a few drops of Hyomei into the inhaler and breathe it in—that's all you have to do.

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How to Tell Whether a Skin Affection is an Inherited Blood Disease or Not.

Sometimes it is hard to determine whether a skin affection is a sign of a blood disorder or simply a form of eczema. Even physicians are often puzzled in their diagnosis. The best way for anyone afflicted is to go to Falls & Burkinshaw's, Carter & Sherburne's, or any good druggist who handles pure drugs, and obtain 50 cents' worth of poslam. Apply this, and if the itching stops at once and the trouble is cured in a few days it may be set down as having been eczema, as this is the way poslam acts in the worst cases of eczema, and in curing acne, herpes, blotches, tetter, piles, salt rheum, rash, barber's and other forms of itch, scaly scalp, and all surface skin affections.

Anyone who will write to the Emergency Laboratories, No. 32 West Twenty-fifth street, New York, can secure by mail free of charge, a supply sufficient to cure a small eczema surface or clear a complexion overnight and remove pimples in twenty-four hours.

PRESIDENT LYNCH

HAS A TALK WITH NATIONAL LEAGUE UMPIRES

NEW YORK, April 5.—President Lynch of the National league went over the playing rules with his umpires at a five hours' conference in New York yesterday. Lynch told his men that they were the monarchs of the field and that all they had to do in order to retain their positions was to enforce the playing code.

Photographers, he said, no longer will be allowed near the diamond after a game starts.

PASTOR HONORED

RECEPTION TO REV. FRANCIS HOWARD ROSE

A reception to Francis Howard Rose, who is acting pastor of the Immanuel Baptist church, was held in the vestry of the church last night. More than 100 members of the church were present and the evening passed off very pleasantly. In the receiving party, besides Mr. Rose, were Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Lawson and Mr. and Mrs. Mark A. Murphy. The ushers were Harold Rose, John Pauly and Thomas Blades. Later in the evening refreshments were served and an informal program given, which included an address by Mr. Rose and piano selections by Mrs. Murphy.

COTTON SUPPLY LESS

MANCHESTER, England, April 5.—The half yearly report of the International Cotton Federation states that the visible supply of cotton is a million bales less than in March, 1909. This fact, however, it is pointed out, need not cause alarm, because of the "short time" in operation, and because the tendency in most countries is to spin finer counts, thus using less cotton, while at the end of last season there was a large surplus supply.

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AGE OF HORSE

How to Determine It Is Explained

(Continued from last Tuesday)

The central nippers are considerably worn and the next pair are beginning to show the mark of age. The tush has now protruded and is fully half an inch in height, and has a rounded prominence with grooves on the inside. At five years the horse's mouth is almost perfect. At six years the mark on the two central nippers is entirely worn out, and on the next pair the mark is shorter, broader and fainter, and on the corner pair the edges of the enamel are more regular, the surface is a little rubbed or worn but only on the exterior edge. The tush has attained its full growth, projects outward, concave within, growing to a point, the extremity somewhat curved. At seven years the mark is not only worn out from the two central nippers and consequently on the two next, but is fast wearing away on the two corner teeth. The tush also begins to show change. The point and edges are rounded but at eight years the tush is rounded in every way. The mark has disappeared from all the bottom nippers, and nearly so from the top. All the teeth are worn, but the central one is still large and retains some of its blackness. There is nothing remaining on the bottom nippers that can show the age of the horse at all reliable. The upper nippers may give indications but nothing certain.

After the age of eight years there are no points that will determine the age with accuracy. The horse that is fed on corn will appear older than the one that is fed on oats and soft food. At nine years the nippers show a most rounded appearance. Little remains of the dental bone, but begins to show the dental star. At ten years the same change on the middle ones. At eleven the same change on the corner ones. At twelve the corner teeth are round and the dental bone very apparent throughout. At thirteen there is a total disappearance of the interior enamel. From fourteen to seventeen they assume a triangular form. The central ones at fourteen and the middle ones at fifteen and the corner ones at sixteen. At eighteen this triangular shape grows longer, and becomes radically contracted.

At six years the teeth are short and flat, gums extending across them full and nearly straight; passing eight the gums recede or shrink away from the teeth making them appear longer; at ten this is very noticeable; while passing twelve the gum shows almost a pointed contact with the center of the teeth; at eighteen to nineteen the gums are drawn back much sharper, leaving the teeth longer and narrower in appearance.

With increased age, deep hollows above the eyes will appear and the lower lip hang down perceptibly. Sometimes teeth are "bishoped," cut down by saw or file, or cutting machines, to deceive as to the age of a horse, quite old horses being made to appear eight to nine. In trading or buying, one should exercise care in the study of the animal's age.

The teeth of the horse require frequent attention. Shorten with the rasp the lower incisors and the corners of the upper molars, and inner side of lower teeth to keep your horse in good feeding condition.

Dr. A. C. Daniels

(Another of Dr. Daniels' articles next Tuesday.)

THE OPTOMETRY BILL

Editor Sun:

Recent communications in the press, by physicians in opposition to the proposed legislation regulating the practice of optometry, are misleading in the statements, that this practice is an infringement on the practice of medicine and that the proposed legislation is a "vicious attempt to lower medical standards." The Massachusetts Optical society are the petitioners; they seek to regulate the practice of optometry by establishing a board of examiners and registration. While they cannot legislate anyone out of business, they seek to establish by law a higher standard of proficiency, by exacting educational and practical tests of those who in future take up the science of optics, thereby making optometry a profession apart from the practice of medicine.

The opposition to this legislation by the physicians was expected, as it has been general in every state where the same legislation has been enacted. The physicians, therefore, stand as opponents to higher education and proficiency and prefer to continue the present evils of peddlers and fakirs who are not amenable to any law. The open question between oculists and opticians is whether the practice of optometry is a medical or mechanical science. The opticians of 24 states that have similar laws as those proposed have convinced their respective state legislature and governors that optometry is a mechanical science and in no way medical; that it is a treatment of light and has no medicinal value. The physicians in every state have been in opposition and have lost.

The same question and opposition arose between the dentists and the medical profession when legislation for the regulation of dentistry was proposed. The opticians seek to place their practice on the same plane and in the same relation to the medical profession as dentistry now is. The bill now before the legislature has been reported upon favorably by the committee on public health and it is the sincere hope of every capable and honest optician that it will be enacted.

John J. Clum.

GENERAL STRIKE

HAS BEEN DECLARED BY THE NAVAL RESERVISTS

MARSEILLES, April 5.—The trouble between the naval reservists and the steamship companies over the employment on the liners of Arabs or other natives who are not French subjects, culminated last night in the declaration of a general strike and the tieing of several steamships. The men demand the dismissal of all natives and the release of 13 comrades of the steamer Mouloya who were arrested on the charge of desertion because they refused to sail unless the natives aboard the vessel were landed.

The government has taken a firm attitude, and Premier Briand has announced his determination to maintain discipline in the merchant marine at all costs. Arrangements are being made to assure mail and passenger service by means of warships.

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LICENSE ISSUE

Big Question in Town Elections

BOSTON, April 5.—In five towns yesterday pluralities on the license question were reversed by the April town elections. Spencer was the largest town to "flop," changing from wet to dry for the first time in 10 years, by a vote of 748 no, to 622 yes. Last year the license advocates had a plurality of 25. Charlton and Shutesbury, also changed to the dry column. Against these gains by the "no" forces may be set the loss of Oxford and North Brookfield, the latter of which went for license for the first time in its history, changing a plurality of 15 for no, into one of 40 for yes. The most complete overturn, however, was at Shutesbury, where a total of 30 votes, with a plurality of 20 for no license, was turned into a plurality of seven for license out of a total of 59.

TOWN OFFICIAL REBUKED

BOSTON, April 5.—The voters of Southbridge who held the centre of interest in the elections in many Massachusetts towns yesterday, seized their opportunity to rebuke the town officials in charge at the time of the exposure of John A. Hall's alleged $125,000 embezzlement from the Southbridge Savings bank, in which town funds were involved, by sending them down to defeat at the polls yesterday and changing the administration from republican to democratic. The French vote was particularly effective, and as a result each of the three members of the board of selectmen is of French descent, a situation said to be unique in Massachusetts in a town as large as Southbridge.

Joseph G. E. Page, republican, was the only member of the board re-elected. He will have as associates Alexander Boyer, Jr. and J. Anatole Caron, both democrats.

Edward Desrosier, republican town treasurer, lost his fight for re-election, Solomon E. Blanchard, democrat, winning the office. Desrosier succeeded Hall in his office of town treasurer, which Hall held while also treasuror of the bank. Some of Hall's illegal operations are said to have involved the use of town notes for large sums.

James K. Egan, chairman of the sewer commissioners and a democrat, was badly defeated by H. U. Ball, republican. Hall's connection with the funds of the sewer department has been look upon with suspicion. Laxity in the department's system of accounting was charged against Egan in the campaign.

TAXI DRIVERS

IN CHICAGO WENT OUT ON STRIKE

CHICAGO, April 5.—Two hundred drivers of taxicabs struck last night just before theatre time. Horse cabs were hurried from stables where it was supposed they had been forever abandoned and soon the down town quarter was filled with old vehicles.

It was announced that 300 day chauffeurs would quit work today. The strike was called because of the refusal of the employers to recognize the union. The men asked merely for a continuance of last year's scale.

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THE AERO CLUB

Has Decided to Buy an Aeroplane

BOSTON, April 5.—The Aero club of New England made a quick flight into the field of aviation last night by passing a vote to buy an aeroplane and planning for a public aviation contest to be held in Boston during the coming summer. The Wright brothers have promised to put machines in the contest.

The "aviation night" brought out a distinguished company of scientists at the City club where the dinner was held last night. Henry Howard, the prominent yachtsman, was toastmaster.

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THE PARK BOARD

Heard Complaint of Property Holders

Property owners in the vicinity of the North common are complaining of damage to their property because of sports. Complaints were read at the regular meeting of the park commission held last night.

Joseph Fay was the principal complainant and he said that a great many windows in his buildings were broken by foul tips in baseball games. He asked relief from the park commission. It was agreed that the diamond should be relaid.

President R. A. Griffiths and Messrs. Percy Burleigh and John Giblin of the Musicians union appeared to ask that the band stand on the South common be torn down and a new one built in the centre of the pond, where the music could be heard to best advantage. The present structure is "on its last legs," according to Mr. Griffiths, and Supt. Whittet agreed with him. The estimated cost of the new band stand was about $1000. It was suggested that the matter be brought before the committee on appropriations, as the park department had no appropriation to meet the request of the musicians.

Monthly bills were approved.

15TH ANNIVERSARY

OF ORGANIZATION OF EMPIRE COLONY, PILGRIM FATHERS.

The 15th anniversary of the organization of Empire colony of the Pilgrim Fathers was observed last night in Pilgrim hall by an entertainment and supper. The attendance was very large, almost every member of the colony being present. There was also a number of invited guests from the other colonies. The affair was carefully arranged and carried out in a successful manner.

The entertainment was held during the early part of the evening, after which an oyster supper was enjoyed. The program presented was as follows: Welcome, Miss Isa Murphy; piano solo, Miss Mildred Merrill Hopkins; song, Miss Alice Stearns; remarks, Supreme Trustee James A. Burns of Boston; reading, Miss Jessie Hodge; piano solo, Miss Florence Lees; song, Robert J. Fullerton of Garfield colony; remarks, Frank McAnaly of Lawrence; song, Miss Mildred Locke; piano solo, Miss Lees; remarks, Supreme Sergeant-at-Arms P. J. Lane of Boston; remarks, E. P. White of Lawrence.

The committee in charge of the affair was: Miss Isa Murphy, chairman; Mrs. Maria Lairdieson, Miss Rose Cote, Miss Minnie Lamphrey, Miss Annie Hardy.

MATRIMONIAL

The marriage of Mr. Angelo Tousignant, of the firm of Tousignant Bros., and Miss Regina Desharnais took place yesterday morning at St. Jean Baptiste church, at a mass celebrated by Rev. Fr. Wateile, O. M. I. The bride wore pale blue silk and carried bride roses. She was attended by her brother, Mr. Henri Desharnais, and the bridegroom, by his brother, Mr. Amedee Tousignant.

After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alphee Tousignant, 85 Austin street. The occasion was a very happy one, for Mr. Alphee Tousignant is not only a brother of the bridegroom, but his wife, who was a Miss Desharnais, is a sister of the bride. The guests included the near relatives on both sides, among them Mr. and Mrs. Leude Tousignant of Fitchburg.

After the breakfast, Mr. and Mrs. Tousignant left on the 10.30 train for Canada, to be gone four weeks. On their return they will make their home at 39 East Merrimack street.

PERREAULT—DIONNE

Mr. George Perreault, Jr., and Miss Marianna Dionne were married yesterday at St. Louis' church, at a nuptial mass celebrated by Rev. Fr. Jacques. The bride was attended by her father, Mr. Eustache Dionne, and the bridegroom by his father, George Perreault, Sr. A large number of friends of the young people attended the ceremony at the church. After the mass, a wedding breakfast was served at the bridegroom's home, 120 Dalton street, and in the evening a reception took place at the bride's home, 80 Beaulieu street.

BURROUGHS—TOWNSEND

Mr. Lon E. Burroughs, son of Mrs. F. R. Wright, of Westford street, and Miss Elizabeth A. Townsend were married on the afternoon of April 3, by Rev. S. W. Cummings of the First Baptist church, at the latter's residence, 62 Fairmount street. Mr. and Mrs. Burroughs will live in Boston.

GROTON

The annual town meeting was held yesterday, with H. W. Whiting as moderator.

The amount of money appropriated was $39,000. The money will be expended on lighting, schools and incidentals. For the current and general expense of lighting, $2400 was appropriated; $1000 for extension of commercial line at West Groton; $150 for extension to the corner near Nicholas Dinan's. No appropriation for band concerts or Fourth of July.

Selectman, overseers of the poor and assessor for three years, Frank A. Torrey; selectman and assessor for two years to fill the vacancy of J. Ryan, John Sheedy; town clerk, Appleton Torrey; town treasurer, Grant W. Shattuck; town collector, Gardner Rockwood; road commissioner, Burtee Blakney; constables, Jerome Shattuck, John Hines, David Young; tree warden, John Hines; electric light committee, Myron Swallow, George Bixby and Frank Watters; school committee for three years, Herbert B. Priest; license question: No, 181; yes, 89.

Mrs. Maria Coolidge, an elderly lady who lived alone in the David Fosdick house owned by Dr. E. F. Gilson, was fatally burned Saturday forenoon by her clothing taking fire while burning leaves. She lived only a few hours. Dr. Kilbourn was the attending physician.

MAPLE SUGAR SUPPER

The annual maple sugar supper at the Paige Street church took place last night. The syrup was delicious and the fritters, rolls, cake and coffee were all to the good. Mrs. George F. Libby had charge of the supper. She was assisted in the preparation of the supper by Mrs. W. O. Brown, Mrs. Bert Libby, Mrs. Henry McDonald, Mrs. W. E. Hatch, Mrs. D. F. Knowlton, Mrs. M. O. Batchelder, Miss Hattie Blake, Mrs. L. E. Lourien and Mrs. Wm. McKeen.

The following young women served at the tables: Misses Florence Knowlton, Lulu Berry, Esther Saunders, Belle Libby and Blanche Libby.

BOARD OF TRADE

Will Assist Census Enumerators in Work

Sec. McKenna of the board of trade has completed arrangements for the conference with Pres. Tuttle of the Boston & Maine in Boston, Thursday, relative to the betterment of freight transportation. He has asked several business organizations of Boston to cooperate with the Merrimack Valley organizations and a meeting will be held at the Boston City club before the conference.

Thursday evening in Harrington hall, Arthur A. Shurtleff of Boston, the well known authority on municipal building, will give an illustrated lecture on "City Planning." The lecture will be under the auspices of the board of trade and will be illustrated with many fine views.

In response to the offer of aid in compiling the census sent to Charles F. Gettemy, director for this state of the national census, by the Lowell board of trade through its secretary, Mr. McKenna, has received a request from Mr. Gettemy for the use of a room or rooms where the local director may meet the enumerators each evening in groups of from 10 to 20 persons. It is also requested that such quarters be provided with a telephone for the use of the local director.

MISSION OPENED

BY ASSUMPTIONIST FATHERS AT ST. LOUIS' CHURCH

The annual mission at St. Louis' church opened yesterday for married women and will continue four weeks, the second for unmarried women, the third for unmarried men and the closing week for married men.

The mission is being conducted by Rev. Frs. Laity and Hydulph of the Assumptionist order of Worcester.

The Assumptionist fathers conduct a classical college and theological school at Worcester. The order came from France to this country only a few years ago, but has already acquired prominence in French American educational and missionary fields. The greater number of the fathers teach, but some devote themselves wholly to missionary work. Rev. Frs. Laity and Hydulphe are among these last. Rev. Fr. Hydulphe is well known as an enthusiastic exponent of the Solesmes mode of singing the plain chant, and has lectured in several New England cities on the subject, notably before the Association of French American organists at Lynn.

A LIVELY BLAZE

In a Barn in Burton Street

An alarm from box 315 at 8.32 o'clock last night gave a portion of the fire department a long run to Wigginville, there being a lively blaze in a barn on Burton street, the property of the Wiggin estate.

The barn was a small structure and was nearly destroyed before firemen arrived on the scene, but by quick work the flames were prevented from communicating with other buildings in the vicinity.

Another Barn Fire

Shortly after 11 o'clock an alarm came in from box 76 for a slight blaze in a barn in Sixth avenue belonging to Vital Roberts. The flames were discovered in a wagon in the rear by the patrolman and by the time the apparatus arrived the fire was extinguished. The damage was slight. F. C. Church had the insurance.

LETTER CARRIERS

PLAN FOR BIG REUNION ON APRIL 13.

The letter carriers held a well attended meeting last evening and completed arrangements for the grand reunion to be held in Associate hall on Wednesday evening, April 13. Chairman of the reception committee, Geo. L. Adams, stated that invitations have been sent to many congressmen, also the mayor and all the local officials of the Lowell postoffice; as well as all the officers of the National Association of Letter Carriers, and nothing which would add to the comfort of the guests will be overlooked. Albert E. Willis, chairman of the decoration committee, stated that Associate hall will be a bower of beauty on this evening with potted plants and bunting of red, white and blue. He has engaged an expert decorator to do this work.

John F. Roane, chairman of the concert committee, reported a very good musical program from 8 till 9 o'clock which will be worth going miles to hear. He and David P. Martin have found among the letter carriers some very fine singers who will make their initial bow before the public this evening and will without doubt make a decided hit.

William J. Lane, chairman of the music committee, reported that Hibbard's full orchestra has been engaged to furnish music for dancing until one o'clock a. m. The Hon. Joe himself will direct the orchestra and has cancelled many engagements to be present. He promises a rare musical treat.

Joseph D. McOsker, chairman of the uniform committee, stated that the entire carrier force have been measured by an up-to-date tailor for new uniforms and the same will be ready to wear on this event.

Treasurer William J. Higgins reported a big demand for tickets. All the carriers have made returns for tickets and are still disposing of some along their respective routes.

President Joseph J. Dillon of the Letter Carriers' association in a few well chosen words outlined the main object of this reunion, which is to have a fund to help any letter carrier who may become unfit for duty through sickness or accident, as Uncle Sam does not pay the letter carriers anything while off duty with sickness or accident.

The following officers were elected for the sick benefit association: Pres. John J. Dillon; vice president, Maurice H. Powers; secretary, Edward J. Lynch; financial secretary and treasurer, William J. Higgins. Auditing committee, Edwin A. Howe, Narcisse A. Gadbois and John P. Sheehan; Sergeant-at-Arms, John F. Lynch.

The following officers were elected for the reunion.

Gen. Manager John J. Dillon; assistant general manager, D. Joseph Donovan; floor director, Maurice H. Powers; assistant floor directors, John T. Burns and T. Joseph Sullivan; chief aids, John P. Sheehan, Albert E. Willis and Simon J. Kelley, chairman of reception committee, George L. Adams. Printing committee, George S. Howard, chairman; hall committee, Albert E. Willis, chairman; refreshment committee, John P. Sheehan, chairman. Concert committee, John F. Roane, chairman; press committee, Charles A. Carey, chairman; badge committee, William H. Whitston, chairman; transportation committee, James W. McGuire, chairman. The meeting closed by all singing: "It Looks to Me Like a Big Night Tonight."

TOWN MEETING

Selectman Butterfield of Tyngsboro Defeated

The annual meeting and election of officers of the town of Tyngsboro was held yesterday and the surprise of the day was the defeat of Selectman Jesse B. Butterfield for re-election by Frank G. W. McKittrick by five votes. Mr. Butterfield was defeated for the office of assessor by three votes and he and Mr. McKittrick were tied for the office of overseer of the poor for three years.

The town, as usual, went for no license, and Chester H. Queen was chosen school committeeman by one vote over Francena L. Sherburne.

The meeting was called to order at eight o'clock and the polls were opened at 8.30. Jesse B. Butterfield was chosen moderator and the articles in the warrant were disposed of in quick order.

The following minor town officers were elected:

Field drivers, Perry A. Flint, John F. Chandler, Chester F. K. Bancroft.

Fence viewers: Charles P. Littlehale, Peter Littlehale, A. R. Marshall, Horace Bancroft.

Surveyors of lumber, wood and bark: W. A. Sherburne, C. M. Livermore, Perry A. Flint, J. F. Chandler, George M. Gilson, D. A. Connell, Wesley P. Marshall, Otis L. Wright.

Sealer of leather: James Algeo.

Superintendent of scales: Charles A. Nelson.

Hog reeves: No action taken.

Committee on Memorial day exercises: John W. Bodwell, one year; Martin B. Davis, two years (chosen at previous town meeting;) Rev. N. S. Hoagland, three years. The dog fund will go to the library and $50 was appropriated for a school physician.

The town voted to accept the provisions of chapter 423 of the acts of 1909 relative to the sale of ice cream, etc. on the Lord's day, but also voted to allow the selectmen to act according to their own discretion in the matter.

The treasurer was authorized to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

It was also voted that the fiscal year of the town will end Dec. 31 instead of March 1, as heretofore. Hereafter the annual town meeting will be held on the first Monday in March.

The following appropriations were reported and voted:

For schools, $1350; transportation, $1200; state aid, $175; books and school supplies, $175; Memorial day, $50; cemeteries; $75; tree warden, $50; destruction of elm tree beetle, $50; town counsel, $100; town officers, $500; incidentls, $700; town physician, $50; moth work, $225; Littlefield library, $250; lighting town with electricity, $400; highways, $350.

During the noon recess dinner was served in the lower town hall by the women of the V. I. A.

The results of the balloting were as follows:

Selectman for three years—Jesse B. Butterfield, 44; F. G. W. McKittrick, 49.

Assessor for three years, Butterfield, 45; McKittrick 48.

Overseer of the poor for three years—Butterfield, 46; McKittrick, 46.

Town treasurer—Charles P. Littlehale, 84.

Collector of taxes—William E. Barry, 47; Charles H. Holt, 43.

Auditor—Enlo A. Perham, 86.

Road commissioner, three years—Leon B. Perham, 86.

Constables for one year—Louis T. Braddon, 41; Perry A. Flint, 46; Frederick Sinclair, 80. (Two elected.)

Tree warden—Howard E. Noble, 78.

School committee, three years, Chester H. Queen, 86; Francena L. Sherburne, 85.

Trustees Littlehale public library, three years—Gertrude M. Blanchard, 75; Charles P. Littlehale, 79.

Cemetery commissioner, three years, Otis L. Wright, 77.

GRAND LARCENY

Well Known Promoter Found Guilty

NEW YORK, April 5.—Noah B Barnes, promoter, engineer and president of the Cotton Wood Creek Copper company, was found guilty last night of grand larceny. He was accused of appropriating $30,000 of $150,000 of the company's funds obtained by sales of stock to the crown prince of Germany and other German noblemen. Count Von Hochberg, a young German nobleman, who denounced his social position at home to marry a German shop girl whom he brought to this country, acted as his sales agent abroad. Publication of letters from the crown prince to Von Hochberg in which the prince wrote "you have made yourself impossible here; you are lost to us," recently caused international comment.

Barnes took the verdict calmly. He will be sentenced next Thursday.

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BRUSH OR STUMP LAND wanted to clear by the acre. Address A. B. C., Sun Office.

PAPER NOVELS and good bound books wanted at Merritt's Book Store, 277 Middlesex st.

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GIRLS WANTED to learn cutting, fitting, dressmaking, repairing and patterns by Mrs. M. J. Greaves, former principal of Lowell Dress Cutting school, 181 East Merrimack st. Single lessons.

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CANVASSERS WANTED—Men and women. We have the best selling article on the market, big money. Call evenings, 7 to 9 o'clock, room 6, Howe bldg., Merrimack sq.

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TWO GOOD MEN wanted for lawn work, grading and sodding. Apply G. F. Cutler, North Chelmsford, Mass.

COOK WANTED (man), to do plain cooking. Address H. I., Sun Office.

FARMER WANTED, one who understands milking. Address M. X., Sun Office.

BAKER WANTED, one with home in view more than wages. Address U. W., Sun Office.

BOY WANTED, 17 or 18 years old, to work in grocery store. Must be honest and willing to work. Apply at 270 High st.

MEN WANTED for firemen and brakemen on nearby railroads. Experience unnecessary; good vision; age 20-30; $75 to $100 monthly. No strike; permanent employment. Promotion; 400 men being sent to positions monthly. State age, weight, height; send stamp. Railway Association, care Sun Office.

PAPER HANGER and painter wanted. Apply 347 Plain st.

MAN WANTED to take care of horses, do driving and other work. Address Driver, Sun Office.

SHOEMAKERS WANTED—None but first class workmen need apply. O'Sullivan Bros., opp. city hall, Merrimack street.

GIRL WANTED for office work, with some knowledge of typewriting. State experience and wages wanted. Address A. A., Sun Office.

YOUNG MAN wanted who lives in Lowell, who holds a fireman's license, or is capable of getting one. Must expect to work around in room. If you are a hoozer don't waste your time answering this ad. To a man who is honest and willing to work, will be offered a position that will be steady and will be paid good wages. Protestant preferred. Address B. U. S., Sun Office.

WE POSITIVELY have the fastest selling household patent on the market. Wolvereen Co., Pittsburgh, Pa.

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LADIES WANTED to call and see a beautiful line of wash dress goods. N. M. Whitten, Wyman's Exchange.

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MEN WANTED for railway mail, internal revenue, post office examinations. Write for Lowell examination schedule. Preparation free. Franklin Institute, Dept. 143 N., Rochester, N. Y.

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Young man for rug and drapery dept. Apply to Mr. MacKenzie, 4th floor, Nelson's Dept. Store.

NOTICE TO ABUTTERS

Office of Superintendent of Streets, Lowell, Mass., March 29, 1910.

The city is about to pave the following streets:

Merrimack street, from B. & M. R. R. tracks at Dutton street to west side of Tilden street.

Prescott street, from Merrimack square to Central street.

Middlesex and Branch streets, from east side of Howard street to west side of Nichols street.

Gorham street, from Middlesex street to south side of Appleton street.

Appleton street, from Gorham street to Central street.

Central street, from south side of Appleton street to Tower's Corner.

Howe street, from East Merrimack street to south side of Davidson street.

Perry street, from Andover street to land of American Safety Tread Co.

In consequence of which it is desirable that all persons who contemplate digging up the streets mentioned above for the purpose of making sewer, gas or water connections, or for any other purpose whatsoever, do so at once, as under the provisions of the city ordinances no permit will be given to any person to disturb the surface of said streets for a period of five years after said improvements are completed, except as otherwise provided in the ordinances.

NEWELL F. PUTNAM,
Superintendent of Streets.

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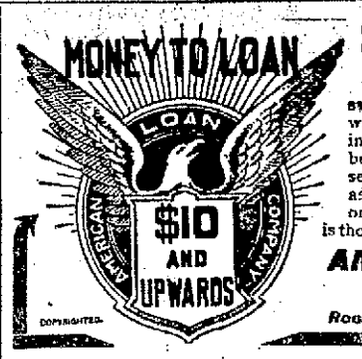
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LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

Whereas, Otto Waldemar Swenson, of Lowell, in said County, has presented to said Court, a petition praying that his name may be changed to that of Waldemar Stewart for the reasons therein set forth:

All persons are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the seventh day of April, A. D. 1910, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and ten.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the next of kin and all others interested in the estate of Thomas Fox, late of Holliston, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, Daniel J. Donahue, the administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court for allowance the second account of his administration on said estate and application has been made for a distribution of the balance in his hands among the next of kin of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the seventeenth day of May, A. D. 1910, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why said account should not be allowed and distribution made according to said application.

And the petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by delivering or mailing post-paid a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate thirty days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fourth day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred and ten.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Oliver J. Coburn, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the nineteenth day of April, A. D. 1910, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this second day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred and ten.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of James Lee, late of Dracut, in said County, deceased.

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PETER A. MACKENZIE,
Chief of the Supply Dept.
Lowell, Mass., April 4th, 1910.

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

SOUTHERN DIV.

To Boston.		From Boston.	
Lve.	Arr.	Lve.	Arr.
5.46	9.00	6.14	7.18
a6.27	9.41	7.53	8.55
a6.44	7.53	8.15	9.01
6.49	7.30	9.00	9.30
7.01	8.00	10.00	10.36
7.29	8.05	b10.21	11.34
a7.31	8.50	11.30	12.57
7.44	8.35	12.00	12.56
8.48	9.25	1.00	1.57
8.56	9.55	2.00	3.04
b9.07	10.18	3.30	5.37
9.36	10.24	b3.51	6.02
10.45	11.40	4.00	4.37
11.39	12.20	a4.14	5.30
12.12	1.05	5.00	5.37
1.46	2.50	b5.21	6.58
2.41	3.53	5.58	9.28
3.57	4.10	b6.51	7.05
4.23	6.59	z6.14	7.39
5.20	6.15	7.50	8.48
b5.10	7.19	8.00	9.05
6.29	7.10	10.30	11.34
7.38	8.20	11.17	11.55
9.50	10.30	11.30	12.10

SUNDAY TRAINS

SOUTHERN DIVISION

6.49	7.30	9.05	10.05
7.22	8.05	10.00	10.38
7.55	8.35	11.30	12.07
8.48	9.49	1.00	1.57
9.20	10.15	5.00	6.02
10.50	11.38	7.30	8.08
2.23	5.19	8.30	9.08
5.10	6.00	9.00	10.02
6.28	7.10	10.14	10.52
7.38	8.20	10.29	11.25

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston.		From Boston.	
Lve.	Arr.	Lve.	Arr.
6.46	7.55	a7.00	8.10
8.04	8.55	7.30	8.52
9.50	10.50	9.24	10.39
10.59	11.55	10.55	11.52
12.05	1.10	11.50	12.54
z1.30	2.36	2.14	3.29
3.15	4.14	3.30	4.30
4.20	5.34	4.59	5.55
5.06	6.09	6.03	7.05
7.06	8.00	6.36	7.45
9.55	10.38	9.35	10.38
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SUNDAY TRAINS

WESTERN DIVISION

8.20	9.20	8.00	9.03
12.10	1.15	12.00	1.00
3.50	5.00	2.14	3.23
5.45	7.00	3.30	4.41
8.50	10.02	5.20	6.38
		8.40	9.42

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Don't miss the great sale of beautiful house lots in the Lowell Highlands on Saturday, April 9th, at 2.30 p. m.

A high mass of requiem will be celebrated for the repose of the soul of Mrs. Mary Bushnell at 8 o'clock Wednesday morning.

The regular meeting of Butler Ames Company, U. R. K. P., was held last night and one brother knight was obligated into the rank. Major H. T. Russell was present and addressed the members.

M. E. CONFERENCE

WESTFIELD, April 5.—Preliminary meetings of the New England conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, the largest of the six conferences held in New England annually, began here today. Bishop Luther Wilson of Philadelphia, one of the best known administrators of the board, is presiding officer of the conference.

In the local Y. M. C. A. hall today the examinations of delegates took place. This forenoon examinations for local orders and written examination in the conference course were held while others went on during the day. The anniversary meeting of the Epworth league will be held this evening. Over two hundred and sixty ministers will be in attendance at the conference tomorrow.

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THE A. O. H. BAZAAR

Associate Hall Was Crowded to the Doors Last Night

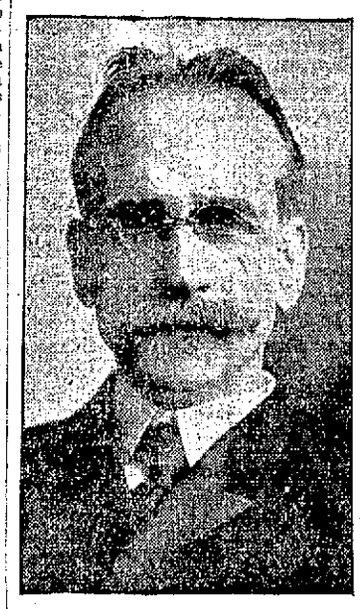
Associate hall was crowded to the doors last night when the formal opening of the bazaar in aid of the A. O. H. building fund took place. Early in the evening 600 members of the five divisions of the order in this city assembled at A. O. H. hall in the Howe building and formed for the parade. The line was headed by a fife and drum corps and Michael McMullin of Division 1 was marshal. John C. Rourke of Division 8 was adjutant and the aids were Capt. Patrick Fitzgerald of the Irish Volunteers; deputy of Division 11; Daniel E. Hogan, secretary of the Central council; Dennis Lynch, vice-president of Division 2; Patrick Connolly, president of Division 11; Daniel Reilly, of Division 8, and Hugh McQuaide, president of Division 28.

The line of march was from the hall to Central to Charles to Gorham to Central to Merrimack streets to Associate hall. Along the line of march hundreds viewed the paraders. The bazaar was opened by Mayor Meehan who was introduced by Mr. James O'Sullivan, general manager of the festival. Mr. O'Sullivan explained the object of the affair, stating that for years it has been the ambition of the Hibernians of Lowell to have a building that they could call their own. The funds received from the bazaar, he said, will be used in part to help along this project, and a portion will be laid aside to go toward paying the expenses of the state convention to be held here in August. He said that there is no doubt that within one year the Hibernian building will be constructed in this city. Mr. O'Sullivan's remarks aroused great enthusiasm and when he introduced Mayor Meehan, the large audience gave His Honor a grand reception.

Mayor Meehan said in part: "I am exceedingly glad to have received an invitation to be present here this evening, and I wish to congratulate the Hibernians on this splendid demonstration. But I am not here to lecture on Ireland, for Ireland needs no words of mine. The history of Ireland is Ireland's greatest fame. Nor need I speak for Irishmen; they need no defense nor eulogy from me. They have been a potential factor for good in everything in our American life, and stand for the highest type of manhood, wherever they may be."

The mayor said that it was his hope that the Hibernians would accomplish their object and erect here a building that will be a credit not only to the order but to the city. He referred to the grand work done in the recent Y. M. C. A. campaign for a new building and said that he saw no reason why the Hibernians could not accomplish the same results. He also referred to the coming state convention and urged all citizens to unite in making it a grand affair and to extend to the visiting thousands a warm welcome. The mayor was cheered at the conclusion of his remarks. The large audience was then given an opportunity to inspect the different sales tables which are prettily decorated and contain many articles of value.

There are four booths on each side of the hall. On the left as one enters, is the fish pond. Then comes the booth of Division 11, followed by the booth of Division 1 and finally next to the stage, by that of Division 28. The first booth on the right side as one enters is the refreshment booth and is under the direction of the Ladies Auxiliary. Next there is a mystery table and the table of the Ladies Auxiliary proper, both of which are under the direction of this enthusiastic body of women. Then there is the booth of Division 8 and finally that of Division 2.



JAMES O'SULLIVAN
General Manager of A. O. H. Bazaar.

Ice cream, cake, candy, tonic and lemonade are served at the refreshment table. On the other tables is a great variety of handsome articles that will attract the attention of the thousands of patrons expected during the week.

An orchestra made up of members of the A. O. H. furnished music for the dancing that followed the opening address.

The hall is handsomely decorated; flags and bunting and greenery being used in profusion.

The principal decorations are in delicate pink and white, with green for a background. Streamers of all three colors sweep in graceful folds across the front of the balconies in long streamers and pennants from every post and pillar to the electrolier high up in the centre of the ceiling. The proscenium arch of the stage is a mass of pink and white drapery, while the back wall is hung with American flags, flanked by the familiar banner of the Emerald isle, beneath which are massed pine trees and potted plants.

Bazaar Will Continue

The bazaar is to be open each remaining night of this week, and for each night there has been arranged a program differing in character but equally excellent in degree. Tonight for instance, is novelty night and just before the dancing Mr. Charles Carey, the well known letter carrier, will sing one of Dockstader's latest ballads and a character sketch from "Bright Eyes." Wednesday night there will be an entertainment by the Y. M. C. I.; Thursday night a parade and prize drill by the Celtic military companies of this city, and visiting organizations; Friday night an entertainment by the C. Y. M. L., and Saturday night general dancing and the distribution of prizes. There will also be dancing every other night from 9 until 11 o'clock.

The Committees

The officers of the general committee are: General manager, James O'Sullivan; assistant general manager, James E. Burns; treasurer, John H. Hickey; secretary, Hugh McQuaide.

Executive committee of the general committee: Michael McMullen, Division 1; Dennis O'Brien, Division 2; Daniel Riley, Division 8, chairman of the several committees; Michael Connolly, Division 11; Patrick Wrenn, Division 28.

Ladies' Auxiliary, including Ladies' Auxiliary table, mystery table and refreshment booths: Matrons, Miss Katherine R. Downes, Mrs. Maria O'Connor, Miss Annie Maguire; assistant matrons, Mrs. Julia Donnelly, Miss Della Clancy, Miss Mollie Burke, Miss Katherine M. Clancy; treasurer, Mrs. Julia Reardon; aids, Mrs. Minnie McQuarrie, Mrs. Fury, Mrs. John Haviland, Mrs. Hannah O'Laughlin, the Misses Mary Lee, Delia O'Brien, Mary King, Katherine Dwyer, Katherine O'Brien, Katherine Burke, Nora Hayes, Sara Conway, Kittie Barry, May Ellen Connolly, Alice Hayes, Mamie Norton, Emma Murphy, Mrs. Katherine Goggin, Mrs. Mary Balfrey, Mrs. Joseph Fahey, the Misses Alice Casey, Margaret Buckley, Mary Mescall, Norah Lyons, Mary O'Malley, Delia Fitzgerald, Mollie O'Brien, Margaret Kenney, Nora Kenney, Helen Rayball, Annie Cassidy, May Ellen Cox, Mary Qualey, Margaret Murray, Minnie Barry, Margaret Barry.

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Division 2 table: Chairman, D. F. Lynch; secretary, Charles Carlin, treasurer, Owen McArdle; matron, Mrs. C. V. Lyons; assistant, Mrs. Agnes Finnegan; aids, Miss Annie Finnegan, Mrs. Thomas Sheehan, the Misses Mamie A. Sheehan, Norah Sheehan, Katherine Sheridan, Annie Smith, Bessie McAloon, Annie McAloon, Mary Lynch, May Reardon, Helen Dee, Katherine Mahoney, Alice Hoy, Julia Lynch, Mrs. John P. Sheehan.

Division 8 table: Chairman, John C. Rourke; secretary, Michael Rynne; treasurer, Nicholas Soroghan; matron, Miss Della Conway; assistant, Mrs. Patrick Sheridan; aids, the Misses Nellie Mulligan, Margaret Mulligan, Helen Ward, Minnie Scanlon.

FUNERAL NOTICE

CUFF—The funeral of Miss Annie T. Cuff will take place Thursday morning at eight o'clock from the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Cuff, 195 Moore street, and proceed to the church of the Sacred Heart, where at nine o'clock a funeral high mass will be sung, after which the cortege will proceed to the Catholic cemetery, where burial will take place in the family lot. The funeral arrangements and burial are in charge of Undertaker John A. Finnegan.

VYSKOCZKA—The funeral of Sylvester Vyskoczka will take place tomorrow morning at eight o'clock from his home, 67 Davidson street, and proceed to the Lithuanian Catholic church, Rogers street, where at nine o'clock a funeral high mass will be sung, after which the remains will be taken to the funeral parlors of Undertaker John A. Finnegan, 179 East Merrimack street. Burial will take place Sunday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock from the funeral parlors and placed in the family lot in the Catholic cemetery in charge of Undertaker John A. Finnegan.

KENNEY—The funeral of Mr. John Kenney will take place Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock from his late home, 117 Butterfield st. A solemn high funeral mass will be sung in St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. C. H. Molloy & Sons in charge.

KEEGAN—The funeral of Mrs. Catherine Keegan will take place Thursday morning at 8.30 o'clock from her late home, 3 rear 218 Adams street. A funeral high mass will be sung in St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. C. H. Molloy & Sons will be in charge.

BROMLEY—The funeral of the late Mrs. Julia A. Bromley will take place tomorrow morning from her residence, 1120 Mammoth road, Collinsville, at 8 o'clock. High mass of requiem will be celebrated in St. Mary's church at 9 o'clock. Undertaker J. F. O'Donnell and Sons in charge.

CLARK—The funeral of George E. Clark will take place Thursday morning from his late residence, 103 Pleasant street at 9 o'clock. Solemn high mass of requiem will be celebrated in the church of the Immaculate Conception at 10 o'clock. Undertaker J. F. O'Donnell and Sons in charge.

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SATURDAY

April 9th, at 2.30 P. M.

MAMMOTH LAND SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION OF TWENTY-ONE (21) HOUSE LOTS

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Terms:—$50 to be paid to the auctioneer on each lot as soon as struck off.

By order of EUGENE RUSSELL.

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12-18 JOHN STREET

DORMITORY THIEF

Was Caught After Some Gun Play

BOSTON, April 5.—Shots, following a robbery in Westmorely Hall, Harvard's most aristocratic dormitory in the section known as the "Gold Coast," aroused Cambridge so suddenly last evening that the alleged invader was in the Brattle square police station less than half an hour after the theft was committed.

It was 8.30 o'clock when a man rode up to Westmorely Hall in Bow street. He entered Suite 106, which is occupied by John H. Knapp, Jr., of West Newton; Philip K. Houston of Concord; Morris L. Hallowell, Jr., Minneapolis, Minn., and Richard Douglas of Chillicothe, O., all members of the class of 1912.

A short time later a young man clothed in many suits rode to the Max Keezer store in Bow street on a bicycle and offered Max Keezer, Jr., some of the clothing for cash. Keezer doubted the right of the young man to sell the clothing and showed a revolver. His customer ran into the street, and as soon as Keezer got out onto the sidewalk and saw the young man riding away on the bicycle he shot into the air and gave chase, shooting until the man forsook the bicycle and ran around the corner, only to fall into the arms of Policeman Robert Douglas, who was standing in front of Russell Hall.

At the Brattle Square station Patrolman Garvin identified the young man as Walter Garrity, 23 years old, of Cambridge, who recently was released from the Cambridge house of correction, prior to which he served in the house of correction on Deer Island and the Cambridge reform school.

Several pairs of trousers, three coats and vests, a revolver and knife, valued at $200 and a jewel box containing ten stickpins valued at $500 were taken from the suite.

At the station house the police say that Garrity confessed he stole the bicycle in the afternoon at the corner of Massachusetts avenue and Pearl street. The police have not found the owner of the bicycle.

Knapp is a son of John H. Knapp of West Newton, with offices at 50 Congress street, Boston, and Houston is a son of a prominent telephone official.

CONSERVATION

TO BE LEADING SUBJECT AT CHARITIES CONFERENCE

WASHINGTON, April 5.—The subject of conservation seems likely to occupy a very prominent place in the deliberation of the national conference of charities and corrections which will meet in this city during the week of May 19-26.

Announcement was made today by Paul Kellogg of New York, editor of the survey who is chairman of the committee on occupational standards of the national conference that while he has been unsuccessful in securing the promise from James J. Hill to open the discussion on "Conservation" he had received a tentative promise from Gifford Pinchot, late chief forester of the United States, that, if the latter returns from his conference with Col. Roosevelt in Europe before this conference meets he will probably appear here.

It seems to be more and more apparent, according to Mr. Kellogg that there is a definite relation between conserving of the nation's resources and problems of charity.

Louis D. Brandeis of Boston has promised that unless he is detained in Washington by a congressional inquiry he will deliver an address on "What industrial changes and adjustments will further the practical adoption of advancing occupational standards."

In the matter of conservation of the human end of the American industrial machinery, it is expected that Dr. Henry F. Falvill of Chicago will make an important public announcement of his investigations relating to the toxin of fatigue.

SUPERIOR COURT

Moore Spinning-Boston Ice Case Next

The case of Hourihan vs. Blair and Hourihan vs. Whidden Co. Inc., which went to trial in the superior court by special assignment yesterday was on trial throughout the forenoon and will take most of the session today.

At the opening of court this morning a jury was empanelled to consider the next case on the list also specially assigned, the counter suit of the Boston Ice company vs. Moore Spinning company and the Moore Spinning company vs. Boston Ice company. W. D. Turner of Boston appears for the Boston Ice company and Stone and Stone of Boston for the Moore Spinning company. Immediately after being empanelled the jury accompanied by deputy sheriffs and counsel, boarded a special electric car and proceeded to North Chelmsford to view the premises over which the litigation is pending. The case involves a question of water rights at Crystal lake, in North Chelmsford from which the Moore Spinning company gets water by means of a canal, while the Boston Ice company controls the ice cutting on the pond. Some time ago it will be recalled a dam at the entrance of the canal broke, causing a flood and doing considerable damage.

While the specially assigned cases are on trial, Clerk Smith is busy getting the regular list ready.

THE LIQUOR ISSUE

Big Question in Illinois Election

CHICAGO, April 5.—The polls opened at 6 a. m. tody for what was looked upon as one of the most important aldermanic elections in Chicago's history. Keen interest was displayed in many of the thirty-five wards, each of which are to elect a member to the new city council.

Reform organizations put forth efforts to defeat alleged gray wolves because the next council probably will have to decide upon several great municipal undertakings. Among these are regulation of the prices of gas and telephone service and construction of a passenger subway.

The saloon question was not put before the voters in Chicago, the project to have it placed on the ballot having been knocked out on the ground that the petition did not have enough signatures.

More than two hundred cities and towns in Illinois, however, were called upon to vote on local option.

Saturday, April 9th, at 2.30 p. m., 21 house lots at public auction in the Lowell Highlands.

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The sale of the personal property of R. D. Snow will take place in Pelham, on Bridge street. Lunch will be served at 12 o'clock.

Per order, R. D. SNOW.

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AT MY REGULAR SALE, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6, AT 1.30, CORNER OF FRANKLIN AND WILLIE STREETS, I will sell 25 extra good acclimated horses, consigned to me to be sold without limit or reserve; 10 single harness, 5 heavy express harness, and a number of carriages.

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THE WEATHER

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AUTO CARNIVAL

May be Held in This City on Labor Day

In all probability Lowell will be the scene of a monster automobile carnival on Labor Day of this year. The carnival will not last for several days as it did last year, but will consist of a program of seven or eight events, all of which will be pulled off on the holiday.

A number of automobile enthusiasts throughout the city have been trying to interest President John O. Heinze and members of the board of governors of the Lowell Automobile club in the scheme and they have promised their moral as well as financial support, though President Heinze in conversation with the automobile editor of The Sun this afternoon stated that the public would have to become more enthusiastic and show a further expression of desire before he would agree to take any part in the management.

That Lowell has one of the best natural automobile courses in the world is a foregone conclusion, automobile manufacturers, drivers and people in general from all parts of the country being universal in the opinion that Lowell is the ideal spot for races. The carnival held last year was a grand success in many particulars, but there were a number of details in connection with the event which many are of the opinion might have been eliminated and the affair would have been a financial success, but the management of the races ran the carnival on a stupendous plan in order to give the public its money's worth and at the same time care for the many thousands who would be present.

When the arrangements were being made by the board of governors of the automobile club it was expected that they would receive the hearty co-operation of the people of Lowell and Tyngsboro as well as those who witnessed the races, but in this they were mistaken, for thousands of people instead of contributing the paltry sum of 25 cents to witness the biggest automobile event ever held in this country, refused to pay, and that, together with the attitude taken by the Tyngsboro people the auto club has been unable to repay the $10,000 contributed by the citizens of Lowell.

The men who were active in the carnival last year blame the Tyngsboro people for a great deal of the loss. The club improved the roads in Tyngsboro yet when an attempt was made to receive some income during the days of the carnival the plans were frustrated.

Three Mile Course

Now if races are held this year, the Tyngsboro people will have to come to Lowell to see them for the course, instead of being 10.6 miles long will be three miles and the entire course will be within the city limits. The course will include the speedway on the Pawtucket boulevard to the abrupt turn to the right ab ethvoeelong thMeul to the right above the lower boulevard pumping station, from there to Varnum avenue, down Varnum avenue to Dunbar avenue, through that short stretch into the boulevard and up the speedway.

Those who have been interesting themselves in the proposed races have been rather skeptical about the abrupt turn from the speedway into the boulevard extension and from the extension into Varnum avenue, but neither one of the turns is any worse than the turns from Varnum avenue into Dunbar ave., and from Dunbar avenue into the boulevard.

The shorter the course the more exciting the races and though it would not be possible to put as many machines on the course as though it were longer, about a dozen machines could be entered in each event and they would pass a given point so rapidly that the events would probably be more interesting than if the course was longer.

Eight Events

There would be seven or eight events, ranging from one to 100 miles. All of the leading drivers of the world would compete for every driver who has ever steered a car over the Merrimack Valley course has intimated that whenever any other events would be held that he would be only too glad to be present.

It would be a very easy matter to secure the sanction of the American Automobile association and though the sanction for the National Stock Chassis competition race might not be given to Lowell, the races, especially the 100 mile event, would be fully as interesting as though it was the national event.

Expenses Would Be Small

While no definite plans have been made as yet, informal arrangements have been discussed and it is the consensus of opinion that if the races are held it would be well to keep the expenses down to as low a sum as possible. There would be no grandstand, no press stand, no pontoon bridge, neither would there be much money expended on the roads as the greater part of the course is in good condition.

It would be necessary, however, to secure a permit from the legislature and another from the city council to conduct the races, but it is doubtful if there would be much opposition to either of these. The people of Lowell have seen two good automobile races and they are anxious to see them annually.

More Enthusiasm is Needed

A little more enthusiasm, however, is needed and if the people will only interest themselves and lend their moral support to the proposed events Lowell will again this year be the scene of automobile races.

DEATHS

MILES—Thomas Miles, aged 60, one of the early Irish settlers in this city, died this morning at his home, 142 Fayette street. The deceased was well known throughout the city and had been a resident of Belvidere and a devout attendant at the Immaculate Conception church for many years. He is survived by a wife, Mary A., a son, John, and one sister, Margaret, and a brother, Alexander.

WANT MORE PAY

CINCINNATI, April 5.—Demands for higher wages and changes in working conditions were made on nearly all of the important roads entering Cincinnati yesterday. A committee representing nine hundred switchmen in the Cincinnati district also presented demands for increased wages. Further conferences will follow.

WRECKED BY EXPLOSION

NEWCASTLE, Ind., April 5.—The plant of the pan-American Bridge Co. was wrecked by an explosion inside the plant today. There has been labor trouble at the plant for some months.

SMASHED STATUES

BOSTON, April 5.—An unusual charge was presented today against John Buckley whose place of residence is unknown by the police who arrested him for smashing statues in St. James Roman Catholic church in Harrison avenue. Buckley went into the church to pray today. Suddenly he rose from his knees declaring that he was possessed of a devil and rushed to the high altar, tearing off the altar cloth. He then procured a sledge hammer and was demolishing the statuary when Father Fitzgerald of the parish clergy entered. Two policemen who were telephoned for overpowered the young man after a struggle.

HELD IN $5000

NEW YORK, April 5.—Robert Guy, the fifth of the men indicted in connection with the case against Boggs & Co., the alleged bucketshop concern, voluntarily appeared before U. S. Commissioner Shields today and gave $5000 bail for his appearance on April 11 with the other four men.

REV. T. WADE SMITH

Appointed Provincial of the Oblate Order Today



REV. T. WADE SMITH, O. M. I.

He is Pastor of Sacred Heart Church and a Great Churchman—The Appointment Meets With Greatest Approval—Fr. Smith Will Return to Lowell April 13

Rev. T. Wade Smith, O. M. I., pastor of the Sacred Heart church, of this city, has been chosen provincial of the Oblate order to succeed Very Rev. Fr. Fallon who recently was made a bishop by the pope. Notice of Fr. Smith's appointment was received in this city this afternoon, and the rejoicing of the people was not confined to the members of the Sacred Heart parish, but was general throughout the city among Catholics and non-Catholics alike, who have known Fr. Smith since he came here.

It is doubtful if a more satisfactory selection could have been made, at least so far as the laity of this section is concerned, and there can be no question that the priests received the news with the greatest pleasure, for when a representative of The Sun called up several of the parochial residences on the telephone and talked with the clergy, all expressed their delight that the honor had come to Fr. Smith.

Rev. Fr. Tighe, O. M. I., who has been associated with Fr. Smith at the Sacred Heart church received word this afternoon that the new provincial will arrive in Lowell about April 13. His appointment was made by the superior general of the Oblate Congregation, the Most Rev. Archbishop Dontenville, of Rome. Notification of the appointment was sent to Rt. Rev. M. F. Fallon, O. M. I., and he at once conveyed the message to Fr. Smith who is at present in Buffalo. It has not been determined yet whether or not Fr. Smith will locate in Buffalo.

The new provincial is about 40 years old and is a native of Ottawa, Ont. He is a graduate of Ottawa university where he received the degrees of B. A. and M. A. After his graduation he became a professor at the university and later was professor of English and physical sciences at the Harvard summer school. He was ordained a priest in 1892 and came to this city as a curate at the Immaculate Conception church where he remained one year. Then came his appointment as president of Holy Angels college in Buffalo, a notable tribute to the worth and learning of the young priest. He continued as head of Holy Angels college for ten years when he was transferred to Lowell and became treasurer at the Immaculate Conception church. During the absence of Rev. Fr. Dorgan, O. M. I., in Europe, Fr. Smith was acting superior and pastor at the Immaculate Conception church. Later he founded the scholasticate at Tewksbury and it is due to his wise judgment at the start and his work performed during the time that he had charge, that this institution has attained the rank it now holds. When Fr. Smith had placed the new institution on a firm basis he was transferred to the Sacred Heart church in this city of which he was made pastor. Every one in Lowell is acquainted with the grand work he has done since he took charge of this parish.

Improvements that even the oldest members of the parish never dreamed of have been made and the crowning part of his work was the erection of the magnificent parochial school which will be occupied by the pupils next September. Fr. Smith is a great churchman, in fact is regarded among the authorities as one of the leaders in this section of the country. He is a very modest man, most retiring in his disposition, but a person who commands the love and respect of those who enjoy his acquaintance. He is a most interesting talker, an eloquent preacher and a leader who is able to attain the best results.

Fr. Smith has a wide acquaintance in this city and should it be necessary for him to remove to Buffalo, his departure from Lowell will cause great regret. The people of the Sacred Heart parish and in fact of all the Catholic parishes of the city are eagerly awaiting definite news of the time of the arrival of the new provincial in this city and undoubtedly on that occasion there will be a great reception to the new provincial of the Oblate order.

DECIDED BREAK

In the Cotton Market Today

NEW YORK, April 5.—There was a very decided break in the cotton market today under general selling, part of which was supposed to reflect the liquidation of the bull campaign in all crop months which had advanced May cotton from 13.50 to 15.16 between the middle of last January and the end of March. May today sold off to 14.24 and July to 14.02 or 26 to 37 points below the closing figure of last night, while Sept. declined to 12.33 or a net loss of 27 points with active months generally showing a loss of nearly $5 per bale from the high prices of last week.

This sensational break followed several days of nervous and apprehensive markets. Rains recently reported in the southwest have modified bullish sentiment regarding new crop prospect while rumors have been circulating in trade circles that some of the big interests identified with the bull dealings in May cotton have been liquidating as a result of unfavorable domestic trade accounts and reports that the shorts were bringing cotton here from Liverpool as well as from the south for delivery.

WAGE INCREASE VOTED

BOSTON, April 5.—The officials of the Boston, Revere Beach & Lynn railroad have voted to increase the wages of employes about five per cent, to take effect March 31. The increase was voluntary and is the third voluntary wage advance since 1903, making present wages 20 per cent higher than seven years ago.

THE PARIS RACES

PARIS, April 5.—The Prix D'Orgeval, selling of $600, run at Maisons-Laffitte today was won by Eugene Fischof's Indian Prince. The Prix LaGrange, for three years, $8000, was won by W. K. Vanderbilt's Messidor III.

RAW RUBBER ADVANCED

LONDON, April 5.—The unprecedented price of 12 s 4d a pound was paid for plantation raw rubber at the fortnightly sale in Mincing Lane today. The bidding throughout was brisk.

ATTACK ON PLANT

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 5.—The stemmery of the American Tobacco Co. at 31st and Walnut streets was attacked today by striking stemmers and sympathizers. Charles Jenkins, engineer of the plant, was struck by stones and badly hurt but nobody was fatally injured.

A number of shots were fired and several windows were broken.

GOLD SENT TO EUROPE

NEW YORK, April 5.—The outward flow of gold to Europe which began last week gathered force today with the engagement of $5,000,000 of the yellow for shipment to London. Bankers say that unless there is cessation of the heavy imports or a resumption of European buying of our securities the outgo of gold will probably assume large proportions.

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Recommended for Improvements on Fire Houses

At a recent meeting of the fire department committee it was voted to refer the following estimates to the lands and buildings committee with the recommendation that a view be taken as soon as possible.

Lincoln street fire house, bath $500; Branch street, bath and ten sleeping rooms, $3200; High street, bath and ten sleeping rooms, $3200; Pawtucketville, bath and eight sleeping rooms, $2560; Central street, six sleeping rooms, $1920; Fourth street, bath and ten sleeping rooms, $3200; Lawrence street, two baths and 16 sleeping rooms, $5120; Westford street; bath and ten sleeping rooms, $3200; Warren street, bath and ten sleeping rooms, $3200; Gorham street, bath and eight sleeping rooms, $2560, also papering and painting at Central street station, $150.

The committee on lands and buildings meet at city hall at 2 o'clock this afternoon and went out on a tour of inspection of the places named in the recommendation of the committee on fire department.

THE PHILADELPHIA STRIKE

PHILADELPHIA, April 5.—Reports from the various barns of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co. today indicate that while some of the strikers returned to work there was no stampede by the men to take advantage of the offer of the company to re-employ as many of them individually as there are vacant places. The strike leaders maintain that the company will be forced to reinstate all of the old men. The company, on the other hand, says the strike is over so far as it is concerned and that it has more than five thousand men operating cars. The company adds, however, that it has room for about 2000 more men and that the strikers will be given preference if they apply for places.

EARLE FOUND DEAD

He Committed Suicide in Emergency Hospital by Taking Gas

Martin Earle, aged about 45 years, was found dead in bed in a room at the Emergency hospital in Tyler street shortly before eight o'clock this morning. Death was due to gas poisoning. Earle having deliberately ended his life by inhaling gas through a tube which he had attached to a gas bracket on the side of the wall. Death must have occurred some time between eight o'clock and midnight last night, though it seems to be rather strange that the body was not discovered until eight o'clock this morning.

It is thought that Earle brooding over marital troubles and an affliction from which he was suffering decided to end his life.

When found in bed this morning a gas tube which had been used on a sterilizing tank in the operating room on the floor below was found wound twice around the man's head. One of the ends was attached to the gas jet while the other was inserted in his mouth and Earle's lifeless hand was holding the tube in position.

The body was removed to the funeral parlors of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

Had Been Despondent

Last spring while working for a man named Eaton near Golden Cove in Chelmsford, he received a fracture of two ribs and went to the Emergency hospital for treatment. He had but very little money at the time and after he was able to go about he asked Dr. Will Corbett McLean, of the Emergency hospital if he could not stay around there and do chores for his keeping. The doctor was willing and kept him for quite a while, but when Earle started drinking, Dr. McLean told the man he would have to leave the place.

Earle then secured a job in the Massachusetts mills, but lost it as a result of overindulgence in liquor.

Last Friday Earle called at the hospital and told the doctor he was feeling ill and needed treatment. Examination showed that the man was suffering from a hernia. He was receiving treatment, but was able to do odd jobs about the place and Dr. McLean knowing that if the man would not drink he would be a handy person around the hospital decided to allow him to remain there.

Sunday the man seemed to be greatly improved and yesterday he was apparently all right other than that he had several crying spells.

Dr. McLean who is a professor at Tufts college, in Medford, arrived in Lowell last night on the 8.08 train, and going to the hospital asked how Earle was feeling. He was told that Earle had retired about 7.30 o'clock. Inasmuch as Earle occupied a room next to the bathroom and that the latter room had been visited several times during the night by different persons and nothing out of the ordinary was noticed, his room was not visited until this morning.

Dead For Hours

Shortly before eight o'clock this morning one of the attendants at the hospital went to Earle's room for the purpose of ascertaining why he had not been down to breakfast and upon entering the room found him lying in bed with the gas tube in his mouth. Life was extinct and probably had been for a number of hours.

The hospital authorities say that Earle has a wife living in Chelmsford and has a son, Edward, and a daughter, Edith, living in this city.

PRIMARY LAW UPHELD

MADISON, Wis., April 5.—The primary election law was today upheld in an opinion handed down by the Wisconsin supreme court.

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6 O'CLOCK

FOR GRAND JURY

Probable Cause Found Against Two Young Men

Alfred Roy and Emery Regis, the young men who it is alleged broke into two buildings in Ward street either late Thursday night or early Friday morning of last week and stole a horse and wagon and harness and who were later arrested in Nashua, N. H., and brought to this city, were arraigned before Judge Hadley in police court this morning. After testimony had been offered by a number of witnesses the court found probable cause of guilt and held each under $800 bonds for appearance at the next sitting of the grand jury.

At the end of the trial Judge Hadley stated in the open court that Victor Payne, of Hudson, N. H., one of the government witnesses, should be commended for the part that he took in the arrest of the defendants, for it was due to the efforts of Mr. Payne that both Roy and Regis were arrested.

Neither of the defendants had counsel and their story was a general denial of everything testified to by the government witnesses.

Ubald Allard who was the first witness for the government stated that he kept his horse at 7 Ward street. He knows Roy. Thursday night at 8.30 o'clock he fed his horse, but the next morning at six o'clock when he went to feed the animal it was gone.

Alexis Morin, who conducts a blacksmith shop at 16 Ward street, across the street from Allard's place, said that he saw his Concord buggy in his place Thursday night when he closed up, but upon opening the place in the morning found that it was missing.

Joseph Z. Desrosiers, who owned the harness which was stolen, told of missing the harness and said that the harness which the police had shown him was his property.

Victor Payne, who resides in the Derry road in Hudson, was the next witness called and he testified in part, as follows: "Friday morning just at 7.05 o'clock those two men in the duck stopped in front of my house. They had a brown horse, Concord buggy painted red and a black trimmed harness. In the buggy were a couple of bags of phosphate and two blankets. They wanted to sell the phosphate and also expressed a desire to trade the horse. The phosphate is worth about $1.75 per sack but they were willing to give both sacks to me for $1. I refused to purchase the stuff but told them of a place where I thought they might be able to get rid of it.

"I knew the team was stolen from the minute I saw it in the middle of the road and I immediately called up the authorities in Hudson Centre and then followed them to Nashua and found them both drinking in a saloon in that city."

Officer Peter Better, of Nashua, said that he arrested Regis in a saloon in Canal street and that Regis told him that the rig was his property.

Officer H. C. Rogers, also of the Nashua police, who arrested Roy, said that he found the latter in Canal street about half an hour after Regis was arrested. He knew Roy by a description which he received at the police station.

Alfred Roy, one of the defendants, who was inclined to fall asleep while on the stand and kept awake only as a result of periodical references to his position by Supt. Welch, told the court that he went to Nashua on a car Friday morning. He went to that city for the purpose of seeing his brother-in-law's brother and left the Pawtucket bridge sometime about seven o'clock on Friday morning. He did not know how long it took him to reach the upriver city and denied that he had seen Mr. Payne at the time which the latter specified. He met Regis in Nashua and when the latter asked him to take a ride with him he did so. He said that while he and Regis were going over the road they found two bags of phosphate and placed them in the buggy.

Witness said that he was released from the reformatory four or five months ago after serving 12 months in that institution for larceny.

Emery Regis, the other defendant, said that he was going over the Aiken street bridge about 1.30 o'clock Friday morning when he met Roy and the latter asked him if he wanted to have a ride. He said that Roy said that the outfit belonged to a man whom he worked for and Regis feeling that it would do no harm to have a joy ride accepted the invitation. While passing through Hudson they found, he said, two bags of phosphate and two horse blankets on the road. He denied that he attempted to either sell the phosphate or the blankets. He admitted that he had served 17 months at the house of correction in Cambridge after being found guilty on several complaints of larceny.

The court after considering the evidence in the case found probable cause and held both defendants under $800 each for their appearance before the grand jury at the June sitting.

Other Offenders

George E. Baron, who several months ago was before the court and placed on probation, was arrested in Pawtucket street, yesterday. In court this morning he explained that while driving into Lowell he met with an accident and a woman gave him a cup of whiskey in order to revive him and that it was such a long time since he had had any liquor that it immediately went to his head. The court was inclined to be indulgent and continued him on probation.

John P. Simms pleaded not guilty to a complaint charging him with the larceny of 4000 pounds of iron valued at $32, the property of David Ziskind. At the request of the government the case was continued till Friday, Simms being held under $100 bonds for his appearance.

Robert Allison, a former collector for Ervin E. Smith, Market street hardware dealer, who was arrested several months ago on several counts for alleged larceny, was to have been given a hearing this morning in police court but by agreement of counsel the case was continued till April 15.

Cornelius Sullivan and James Higgins, charged with being drunk, were both sentenced to the state farm at Bridgewater.

Ernest L. Jotterand, whose wife was precipitated from a three story window at Coleman's boarding house in Webster street yesterday morning, was in court this morning and pleaded guilty to being drunk. His case, however, was continued till Friday in order to learn his wife's condition.

There were three first offenders who were fined $2 each and one simple drunk was released.

Take a walk to the Lowell Highlands and see the lots to be sold on Saturday, April 9th, at public auction.

Midnight Sons, Prescott hall, tonight.

CIVIL SERVICE

Candidates Get Place on Eligible List

The following persons successfully passed the recent civil service examinations at city hall for the foreman and janitor service, the names follow in order of rank: Foreman, water dept., Jeremiah D. Sullivan and William F. Hunt; foreman, street department, John G. Gordon, John J. Mullaney, Frank E. Stowell, Joseph F. Plunkett, Wallace N. Williams and James F. Morrison; for the janitor service, Omer J. Smith, Charles E. Thornton, Thomas J. McGee, Albra W. Hersome, John Downing, David H. Anguin, Frederick J. Tompkins and William H. Tyler.

Of the 68 applicants who took the recent clerical examination, 23 passed, the three highest on the men's list being James J. Reynolds, Roy W. Greenleaf and Horace C. O. Landry; the three highest on the women's list being Julia G. Slattery, Mary H. Downey and Catherine C. McCarthy.

MOTHER'S CLAIM

Says that Her Daughter Was Hypnotized

FITCHBURG, April 5.—Miss Irene Cochlin, aged 16, and William L. Ladue aged 18, walked into the home of the bride's mother yesterday and told her they had been married.

Mrs. Cochlin was not pleased with the announcement and ordered Ladue to leave her house. He tried to have the girl accompany him, but her mother refused to permit it.

Ladue later called at the police station and told Chief Thayer that his wife was being restrained in her home against her will. Chief Thayer learned from Ladue that he married Irene Cochlin at the city hall Saturday afternoon, the ceremony being performed by City Clerk Walter A. Davis. Ladue gave his age as 21 years and that of the girl as 18.

The police refused to interfere, Ladue was informed that the marriage was illegal unless he could prove he had secured the consent of the bride's mother.

Mrs. Cochlin later called upon Chief Thayer and told him that her daughter was only 16 years old. She said that she would refuse to allow her to live with Ladue, and that she intended to file a petition in the superior court asking that the marriage be annulled.

Mrs. Cochlin said her daughter appeared to be suffering from morphine or some other drug.

She said she had talked with her daughter about the marriage, and the girl said Ladue had hypnotized her. Her daughter, she added, returned to her home after the ceremony, and the couple kept the marriage a secret until the announcement yesterday.

FOR ORPHANAGE

MUSICALE TO BE GIVEN IN AID OF ST. PETER'S INSTITUTION

A musicale will be given at the residence of Mr. Lavins Paulint, 101 Livingston avenue, tomorrow afternoon, at 4.30 o'clock, in aid of St. Peter's orphanage. The affair is being arranged by the Ladies' sewing circle of the orphanage and the program will embrace solos by Miss Gertrude Keleher, the talented soprano soloist of St. Peter's church choir, and selections by a Tel-Electric player piano. Miss Mary C. Reilly will act as accompanist.

Midnight Sons, Prescott hall, tonight.

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NEW MILK DEPOT



THE NURSE IN CHARGE GIVING ADVICE TO A MOTHER.

First Step Towards Fighting Infant Mortality in Summer

The milk depot in Market street is open for business. Yesterday was opening day and while the rush was not very great, quite a number of mothers with babies in their arms called during the afternoon. Miss Lindsay, the nurse in charge, has five or six mothers on her list who will become regular customers and it is expected that the depot will be a pretty busy place when its work has been demonstrated.

The event which is to be known as "Guild Day," and which is to be devoted to the collecting of money in house to house visits by the members of the Guild, is set for Tuesday, April 26.

To make the occasion doubly impressive the Guild committee in charge of the work has asked Mayor Meehan to ring the fire bells on the afternoon of "Guild Day" during the hour that the fair collectors will be at work. Every person in Lowell will have received two or three days before, an envelope in which is to be placed a contribution, and these envelopes are expected to be ready for the collectors when they make their return visit during the hour of bell ringing.

The city has been divided into districts for the special campaign to raise funds to carry on the work, and each of the six districts has a representative who will look after her assigned section, with the assistance of the other members residing in the district she is expected to cover. Mrs. E. S. Hylan will have charge of the Highlands district; Mrs. E. B. Carney, from city hall, through Pawtucketville; Miss Marian Stott, Belvidere; Miss Minnie Walsh, Centralville; Mrs. J. Harry Boardman, the down-town district.

Just one baby was weighed yesterday and its weight recorded by Dr. Lambert who conducted the first conference. At the second conference to be held next week the baby will be again weighed, and the formula continued or changed as may seem necessary to the physician. Dr. Lambert prescribed the formula for the baby yesterday.

The room where the conferences are held, and where the modified milk is distributed, has been thoroughly renovated, and is white, clean and sanitary.

STILL FRIENDLY

No Change in the Roosevelt-Taft Relations

WASHINGTON, April 5.—Members of congress discussed with a good deal of animation yesterday the report from Naples that the relations between President Taft and his predecessor were strained and that Mr. Roosevelt no longer considered that he was bound to stand sponsor for Mr. Taft or to assist him to secure another nomination.

Efforts were made to obtain either a confirmation or denial of these reports at the White House, but the president would not notice them; no one else was authorized to talk about them, and so far as can be learned, the president did not refer to the matter in conversation with any one of his visitors yesterday.

Public men as a rule are not inclined to place much reliance in the story, or at any rate they prefer to withhold their opinion until they know more definitely the truth. They expect that the situation will rapidly develop after the return of Mr. Roosevelt to this country and then they will know positively whether the old intimacy exists or there is a break between the two men.

It is known that there has been no correspondence between the president and Mr. Roosevelt since the latter sailed from New York. This, it was pointed out yesterday by one of Mr. Roosevelt's friends, does not necessarily imply that the relations between the two men are not as friendly as they once were, because each has been able to keep in touch with the other through mutual friends. "Had Mr. Roosevelt frequently written to Mr. Taft," this man said, "it would of course have been known and it would at once have been said that Mr. Roosevelt was giving Mr. Taft advice and trying to run his administration. Mr. Roosevelt has done the sensible thing in keeping hands off and not in the slightest way interfering in Washington affairs."

On the other hand it is commented on as curious that while Mr. Roosevelt has not written to Mr. Taft and Mr. Taft has been equally remiss in his correspondence, Mr. Roosevelt has found time frequently to write to Senator Lodge, Senator Root, Mr. Loeb and other intimate friends.

It is believed here that through these various correspondents Mr. Roosevelt has kept pretty close in touch with politics in this country.

The general belief is that when Mr. Roosevelt comes back he will give his indorsement to the administration, and it is in that belief that public men are awaiting his return.

It is certainly the hope of Mr. Taft's friends, who frankly say that a quarrel between the two men would be an unfortunate thing not only for the republican party, but for Mr. Roosevelt as well as Mr. Taft.

NEW WAGE SCHEDULE

NEW YORK, April 5.—The Erie railroad has settled upon a new schedule of wages with its engineers. An increase has been granted which maintains the same differential in wages which has heretofore existed on the Erie in comparison with other competing lines. It was said that in reaching the agreement the men took into consideration the financial condition of the Erie and did not stand out for the highest range of wages which have been granted on other lines.

WESTON'S WALK

HAMMOND, Ind., April 5.—Edward Payson Weston, pedestrian, last night when he quit for the day had made good progress on what he called the home stretch of his tour from Los Angeles to New York. He reached Hobart, Ind., before midnight.

125 EMPLOYES OUT

BERLIN, N. H., April 5.—Fifty employes of the International Paper Co.'s mills here today joined those who struck yesterday in support of a demand for restoration of a 10 per cent. cut in wages. Fifteen of the strikers returned to work. In all 125 men are out.

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LOWELL'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER

THE UNION BANK

Doors of Brooklyn Institution Were Closed This Morning

NEW YORK, April 5.—The doors of the Union bank of Brooklyn were closed this morning. The bank has seven branches. O. H. Cheney, state superintendent of banks, has taken possession of the bank.

The assets and liabilities of the bank have not been made known. Supt. Cheney has issued the following statement:

"As a result of an examination of the Union bank of Brooklyn by the banking department a meeting of its directors was held Monday evening at the office of this department to consider whether the bank was not in an unsafe condition because of certain of its assets, for the character of which the present management is not responsible.

"After deliberation the board reached the conclusion that the bank should not continue its business. The board, accordingly, requested its officers to take action. In pursuant with provisions in the baking law the superintendent has taken possession of the corporation."

The president of the Union bank of Brooklyn is Edward M. Grout, former comptroller of the city of New York. The bank has a capitalization of $1,000,000 with deposits of over $5,000,000.

Supt. Cheney would not indicate whether the bank's difficulties had been caused by bad loans or indifferent investments. He said that a statement would probably be forthcoming after a further examination of the bank books had been made.

The Union bank took over the business of the Mechanics & Traders bank of Manhattan which closed over two years ago.

The bank's predicament had little affect on the stock exchange as the institution was said to be only a small lender of money on stock exchange collateral.

ANTI-OPTION BILL

WASHINGTON, April 5.—A substitute anti-option bill incorporating only the provisions of the old bill relating to cotton exchanges was introduced in the house today by Chairman Scott of the committee on agriculture after an agreement to approve his measure had been reached by the sub-committee having the bill in charge.

EX-PRES. ROOSEVELT

Calls Off the Reception to the American Colony

ROME, April 5.—Mr. Roosevelt was not in his happiest mood today. His wish that the vatican audience incident be regarded as personal to him had not been respected and he was intensely annoyed.

About the first thing that the former president did today was to call off the reception to the members of the American colony which had been set for tomorrow night. This action can be traced directly to the issuance yesterday of a statement by Rev. B. M. Tipple, pastor of the American Methodist church in which opportunity was taken for an attack upon the Roman church. Mr. Roosevelt does not propose to be used by any one to the disparagement of anyone else.

Rev. Mr. Tipple called upon Mr. Roosevelt yesterday and upon his departure made public a statement in which he lifted the vatican episode out of the realm of the personal and gave it a world-wide significance.

The statement in full was shown to Mr. Roosevelt today when he said:

"I had made no arrangements to speak at any church or clerical organization in Rome. I have received a number of gentlemen of all religious faiths who have called at my rooms or at the American embassy.

"Under the circumstances I have requested the American ambassador not to hold the reception which he had intended to hold Wednesday afternoon.

"As regards all efforts by whomsoever made to bring about and inflame religious animosities because of what has occurred in connection with the vatican and myself, I can do no more than to refer to the emphatic statements contained in my open letter to Dr. Lyman Abbott, already published. All that I there said I desire to reiterate with my whole power."

Mr. Leishman, the American ambassador, had arranged the reception at the American embassy in order that Mr. Roosevelt might meet the Americans in Rome regardless of their religious faith, upon the neutral ground of the embassy. The appearance, however, of Mr. Tipple's statement displeased many American Catholics who forthwith manifested an intention of abandoning their purpose to attend the reception if the Methodists of the organization represented by Mr. Tipple were to be present. The matter was carried to Mr. Roosevelt who, after hearing both sides, promptly asked Mr. Leishman to cancel the whole affair. This was done.

The sensation caused by the determination of Mr. Roosevelt not to be received by the pope upon the terms made by Cardinal Merry del Val continues unabated. The press today is filled with columns on the subject. The papers of all shades of political opinion with the exception of the clerical organs support Mr. Roosevelt's attitude. Some of the violent anti-clerical sheets intimate that the affair may result in the downfall of the papal secretary. These papers apparently are trying to arouse a great anti-clerical demonstration to be made at the railroad station when Mr. Roosevelt leaves the city on Wednesday night.

None of these partisan movements has the sympathy of Mr. Roosevelt, who is exceedingly put out that a personal incident should have incited an exhibition of that very religious hostility which he so greatly deprecates.

ARREST IN SPRINGFIELD CASE

SPRINGFIELD, April 5.—Bertram G. Spencer, a clerk, aged 28 years, was arrested on suspicion today in connection with the murder last Thursday night of Miss Martha Blackstone. A serach of his home in West Springfield by the police disclosed two black silk masks, some loaded revolvers, small quantities of jewelry and other articles of an incriminating nature.

Spencer, although not actually charged with the murder of Miss Blackstone, was taken to the police station where he was held for possible identification. A number of persons whose homes have been entered within the past few months were requested by the authorities to call at the police station to see if they could identify Spencer as having been connected with the breaks in their homes.

Spencer's arrest was brought about by three private detectives employed by the citizens' cooperative committee, an organization which was formed immediately after the Blackstone murder and which raised a fund of five thousand dollars for purposes of investigation.

Since beginning their investigations into the murder the detectives found a locket which was picked up on the street. This locket bore the initials "B. G. S." and within it were pictures of Spencer's mother and sister. The initials and the pictures brought the investigation to Spencer's home, 476 Porter avenue, West Springfield, and the young man was taken into custody this morning. The announcement of his detention was not made until several hours later.

The authorities claim that Spencer answers the description of the man who murdered Miss Blackstone and seriously wounded Miss Dow in the latter's home on Round Hill Thursday night. Spencer was formerly a railroad brakeman but for some time recently he had been employed as a receiving clerk in a local meat packing establishment.

WERE TWICE MARRIED

Woonsocket Couple Principals in Strange Ceremony

WOONSOCKET, R. I., April 5.—William Stearns and Miss Beatrice Booth, well known young people of this city, were twice married yesterday, once legally and once socially. The legal marriage was performed in a carriage in the middle of the highway on Harris avenue in Blackstone just over the Massachusetts side of the Rhode Island line, and the social marriage took place at the home of the bride's parents in this city.

It was the desire of the Booth family that the marriage ceremony of their daughter should be performed by Rev. James Church Alvord of Hopedale, Mass., for many years a close friend of the Booth family, and it was also desired that Rev. Mr. Alvord alone should conduct the marriage service. Now the laws of Rhode Island do not allow a clergyman from another state to perform a marriage ceremony unassisted and in order to make the marriage perfectly legal the bridal couple and the clergyman drove across the boundary line into Massachusetts, where the clergyman simply said: "I legally pronounce you man and wife."

An hour later in the presence of many invited guests, a second ceremony was performed at the Booth home. This service satisfied all the demands of conventionality and at the conclusion Rev. Mr. Alvord announced "I pronounce you man and wife in the church."

BAY STATE MILITIA

Will Not Engage in War Game This Year

There will be no war game for the Massachusetts militia this year, according to a statement given out at the adjutant-general's office at the state house yesterday.

Of all the Massachusetts regiments the only one to favor the war game is Colonel Sullivan's regiment, the "Fighting Ninth."

"Already the state militia has had sufficient practice in the general line of great maneuvers. What the men need now is a drilling in the detail of the work and individual instruction. Why, there are men participating in the general maneouvers who know practically nothing of military courtesy, who don't know even how to salute an officer."

This is the reason as expressed by Capt. Simonds, assistant to the adjutant-general, for the decision in favor of regimental camps.

Colonel John J. Sullivan of the Ninth Regiment differs in his opinion and the Ninth will go to Pine Plains in August to participate with the regulars and militia from other states in a great war game.

"The place for a training in detail and in military courtesy is the armory," Colonel Sullivan said yesterday. "War is not a competition in courtesy. The details of the work are essential, of course. But they can be taught in the armory and are incidental. What the men need is the training that would enable them to take care of themselves in the field.

Favors War Game

"In the rush and hardship of the war maneuvers little time is given to teaching military courtesy, it is true. But the men learn how to make camp, how to cook and take care of themselves and their equipment under war-like conditions.

"The war maneuvers are carried on in connection with troops from the regular army. The association with those men is a great benefit. The game is conducted by regular army officers, and if they don't know how to conduct it, who does?

"Curtis Guild, Jr., in his editorial characterized the Ninth as consisting of men who worked with their hands. I don't like that particularly. The personnel of the Ninth would average about the same, or a little better, than that of the other regiments of the state. Most of the men are clerks and artisans earning good pay. The work with the hands part is perhaps supposed to indicate a lack of brain capacity for thinking about things.

Need Field Experience

"Most of the men have as many demands on their time as other men. Their service is from a sense of duty and interest. In the ranks are more Spanish war men and seasoned men than in other regiments in the state.

"My point though, is this: Men who are confined to the city need the experience in the field. If the same men year after year it might be well to go through a course of training in detail. But they don't serve for any great number of years and what is needed is the training that would enable those men to go into the field and know how to take care of themselves.

"Men who are good in the armory and on dress parade are frequently failures in the field. Their theories avail them nothing when actually tried out. In time of war I think an officer would overlook a man's deficiency in saluting with exact precision if he were always in at the finish and knew how to do his work."

How to Cure Eczema

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SUIT FOR $20,000

Is Entered Against Lady Cook

NEW YORK, April 5.—Tennessee Claflin Cook, known as Lady Cook, the prominent worker for equal suffrage here and abroad, is the defendant in a $20,000 suit brought by Harry C. Silver, her former press agent, for breach of contract.

Justice Blanchard yesterday granted an application made by Silver for the appointment of a commission to take the testimony of relatives and friends of Lady Cook abroad. He claims that Lady Cook violated an agreement by which he was to write her biography. Lady Cook's answer is a general denial.

Sir Frederick Cook, son of Sir Francis Cook, Lady Cook's deceased husband; Lady Oakley of Tunbridge Wells, Mrs. Holyrod Chapman, Dr. and Mrs. Charles E. Wells and Mrs. John B. Martin are the persons whom the commission is authorized to examine.

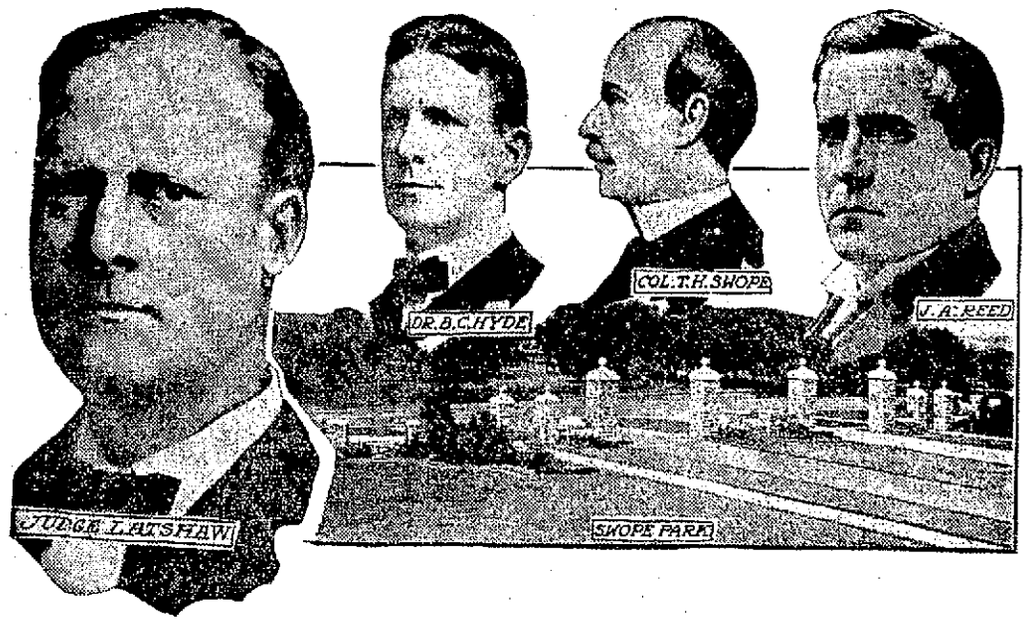
Silver's claim is that Lady Cook offered to buy 20,000 copies of the biography at $1 a copy in addition to paying the expenses of collecting the material and publication. He alleges that while collecting material in London, Paris and other foreign cities he met Sir Frederick Cook and talked with him about the project.

Mrs. Wells, Lady Cook's adopted niece, told Silver, according to his affidavit, that she and her sister, Mrs. Thompson, had planned to write Lady Cook's biography, but had been prevented by the illness of Mrs. Thompson. She said that Lady Cook had told her, Silver continues, that she was willing to pay $50,000 for a good biography.

When Silver went to see Mrs. Martin, Lady Cook's sister, in London, and sent word to her that he was writing her sister's biography, Silver says Mrs. Martin sent her butler with the reply: "Go ahead, and don't bother me."

Lots to be sold in Lowell Highlands on Saturday, April 9th, are on graded streets, have water, sewers, sidewalks, and are well lighted.

SWOPE PARK AND PRINCIPALS IN KANSAS CITY'S FAMOUS MURDER TRIAL



KANSAS CITY, April 5.—The trial of Dr. B. C. Hyde, accused of the murder of Colonel Thomas H. Swope, will begin April 11. Dr. Hyde has been at liberty under $100,000 bail. The case will be tried before Judge R. S. Latshaw, and the representatives of Colonel Swope's estate have engaged the best legal talent that money could secure, while Dr. Hyde with his wife's and his own fortune have secured Missouri for lawyers famous for their ability. The trial promises to be one of the most sensational ever tried in this country. While Dr. Hyde will be tried for the murder of Colonel Swope, who was many times a millionaire and gave Swope park to this city, he has been accused of causing the death of Christian Swope and the serious illness of other members of the Swope family. Dr. Hyde was indicted by the grand jury for administering typhoid fever germs to Colonel Swope.

FIRST DAY'S PRACTICE

Lowell Base Ball Team at Spalding Park Yesterday

"Old Phenom" John Smith came to town yesterday and went right to work at Spalding park with those of the recruits who had arrived early. John intended to have King Kelly, the old Manchester catcher, to work out with the boys for a few weeks and King got as far as the depot in Manchester all ready to come south. He had his worldly effects in a suit case which he left in the depot. As the train was about to start the King went to get his suit case when he discovered to his sorrow that some one had swapped with him and had given him the short end of the swap. Thus Smith came to Lowell alone while when last heard from Kel was still looking for the suit case while the air in his vicinity was bluer than the smoke that curls from Manchester's celebrated product with the long filler and Sumatra wrapper.

John made the boys present work out lightly for an hour or more and had his pitchers doing a little limbering up. In one corner of the field W. D. Jones, the Lowell outfielder, had the High school recruits practising with Principal Irish as a spectator.

The members of the Lowell team who practised were Mosher, the California pitcher who is a player of more experience than most of the bunch; Blackwell, the Pennsylvania South paw and Feister and Schamb, the pitchers from the Philadelphia Nationals, Reardon of Portland and Reilly of Georgetown. Tyler, the pitcher, batted the ball around but didn't do any twirling. Joseph Garstenfeld, the third baseman from Philadelphia, was present but did little work as he recently had an abscess on his arm lanced. Fraser, a first baseman from South Boston, showed up well at the bat. Frank Lemke of Trenton, N. J. was present. He is also a candidate for first base. Catcher Burke from Waverly, a very promising backstop, was present. The other catchers have not yet arrived. They are Huston, Stone of Bates college and Conrad of California. Van Zant has been released as Manager Gray thought that he could make a selection from the other four.

FIVE LOWELL BOYS

Started Out on a Trip to See the World

MEDFORD, April 5.—Patrolman James H. Kane rounded up five Lowell boys, ranging from 13 to 16 years of age, yesterday afternoon in the South Medford district. The policeman's attention was attracted to the quintet by their wandering through several streets. He stopped them and they frankly said they were from Lowell and that they had left home early in the morning. They asked him the way to Charlestown and the elevated railroad announcing their ambition to see the world. They were given a free ride to the police station where the youngsters gave their names and residence.

They appeared rather scared and expressed a desire to return home and cut short their trip of exploration and discovery. They would not tell, however, how they got to Medford.

The Lowell police were notified and arrangements made to have the father of one of the boys take the wanderers home. The boys are Henry Winn, aged 16, of 21 Webster street; Paul Coleman, aged 13, 32 Webster street; Thomas P. Coyle, aged 13, 34 Webster street; Alexander Mack, aged 13, 387 Central street, and Charles Carroll, aged 13, of 39 Ellis street. The boys were given a good supper and allowed to explore the cell room at the Medford police station.

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CARNEGIE TALKS

Tells Young Men How to Pick a Wife

PITTSBURG, April 5.—Neither Mrs. nor Mr. Carnegie have much sympathy for the cause of woman suffrage. "Pick for your wife the girl who takes care of her mother, the girl who is useful in the household and does not make the most show in the ball room," counseled the laird of Skibo to the young men at his technical school last evening.

"The Margaret Morrison schools do more good than all the fights for women's rights," said Mrs. Carnegie in addressing the girls' department of the technical schools.

The steel master also gave the boys this epigramatic counsel:

"Woman raises man to the highest standard.

"My mother and wife made me all I am.

"All depends upon the proper mating of man and woman.

"The ambition to become a millionaire is low.

"To be of service to your fellow man is the greatest ideal.

"Honest parentage is the most valued heritage.

"I don't expect to fly until natural wings sprout from my shoulders.

"It is good to develop the body as well as the mind."

JACK JOHNSON

Found Not Guilty by a Jury

CHICAGO, April 5.—Jack Johnson was not granted his request for two negroes on the jury that heard the testimony in his trial for automobile speeding yesterday before Judge Scovel in the municipal court but the twelve Caucasians who sat in judgment proved satisfactory to the champion by promptly returning a verdict of not guilty.

"They saved me the trouble of going up to the supreme court with the case" said John. "I am not going to have the police put it all over me all the time just because I'm a well known person. If I ran around and got drunk and gambled the cops ought to pinch me, but I'm a good family man and behave myself like a gentleman. If everyone was like me it would be a good world."

TREASURY DEPT.

Construes the Law of Free Entry

WASHINGTON, April 5.—In construing the law admitting to free entry of household effects the treasury department has made some rulings of general interest.

Horses, carriages, sleighs, harness and saddles, automobiles, guns, canoes, boats and similar articles are not entitled to free entry as household effects nor articles used abroad in business pursuits such as office safes and office furniture. Material for tablecloths, napkins, curtains not made up into such articles are not household effects. Effects of the household which have been used abroad a year or more, the owner of which has died after arriving in this country, may be admitted free on exhibiting to customs officials letters of administration. A bequest of household effects from a relative abroad to a person in the United States is not free of duty unless the deceased was a citizen of this country.

Articles subject to duty found among the effects of a person arriving in the United States which were not at the time of making the entry mentioned to the collector of customs are subject to forfeiture and the owner is liable to a penalty of treble their value.

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BOTH ARE DEAD

Two Men Figured in Tragedy at Trenton, N. J.

TRENTON, N. J., April 5.—A tragedy in which a man was accidentally shot dead, followed by the suicide of the man who fired the fatal shot, occurred early today on the platform of the Philadelphia & Reading railway station at Trenton Junction about five miles from this city.

The man shot dead was Frank Fracella, a cab driver, and the suicide was John Connolly, a railroad watchman. These men, with a railroad detective and the station telegraph operator, were standing on the station platform.

Connolly had two revolvers, one empty. He was showing them to Fracella, the two witnesses say, and had remarked: "How would you like to get a lead from this one?" when the weapon was discharged and Fracella fell dead. It is believed Connolly thought he was exhibiting the empty revolver to the cabdriver.

Connolly, panic-stricken, started to run. The detective and the telegraph operator started after him when Connolly suddenly stopped, placed the revolver to his head and fired. He died instantly. The public prosecutor was notified and after an investigation concluded that the tragedy had occurred as related by the two witnesses.

HELD IN $2000

Men Charged With Trying to Wreck Car

HAVERHILL, April 5.—John Seleck, alias Selza, and Koshamus Kalos, were each held in $2000 by Judge Fuller yesterday on the charge of attempting to wreck an electric car on the Lawrence division of the New Hampshire electric railway. They are Poles and were arrested last night on the Lawrence line as they were running away after the motorman of a car had discovered a pile of rocks on the tracks.

A party of Haverhill and Lawrence Poles attended a wedding Thursday in the outskirts of the city and were refused passage on a car as the road officials had issued strict orders forbidding the carrying of intoxicated people.

One electric was stoned, the rocks crashing through the windows, the passengers escaping unhurt. Later an attempt was made to wreck another car, the two accused men being caught running away. They denied all knowledge of the rocks on the tracks, claiming that others were responsible.

DURGIN WINS

THE COURT'S DECISION MAKES HIM AN ALDERMAN

AUBURN, Me., April 5.—Judge Savage rendered his decision yesterday in the contested election case in ward 2, Lewiston, which was heard by him last Friday. He finds that Linwood S. Durgin, the republican candidate, was elected by a vote of 226 to 224 for John J. Curran, democrat. The result announced by the ward offices on the night of the election gave the victory to Curran by a vote of 229 to 227 and the board of aldermen at their recount gave Curran 227 and Durgin 222.

Judge Savage holds that the board of aldermen had no right to recount the votes, so their action was not considered by him. The votes in the ballot box were counted by the attorneys for Mr. Durgin and Mr. Curran in Judge Savage's presence Friday and it was agreed that Mr. Durgin had 223 and Mr. Curran 222 votes that were not disputed.

It was also agreed that 10 others were defective and 14 votes were left to Judge Savage to pass upon as to their validity. He counted three for Mr. Durgin and two for Mr. Curran and declared the other nine defective. He gave Mr. Durgin judgment for costs of the petition.

Mr. Curran has not yet decided whether to appeal to the law court or not. The substitution of Mr. Durgin for Mr. Curran in the board of aldermen will not change the political complexion of the board, which will have four democrats and three republicans.

NOTABLE CEREMONY

AT CHRISTENING OF DI PALMA BABY IN ROME

The christening of the little son of Hon. Frederico di Palma and Agnes Williams di Palma took place at the home of his parents in Rome, Sunday afternoon, March 20th.

The ceremony was held before an altar erected in one end of the drawing room, decorated with lilies and white iris. Archbishop Marinangeli, Patriarch of Alessandria officiated, assisted by Monsignor Tedeschini.

The godparents were Mrs. Charles M. Williams and Admiral Giuseppe Astuto, the little one receiving the name of his maternal grandfather, Charles M. Williams, in its Italian form, Carlo. About fifty of the more intimate friends of the family witnessed the interesting ceremony.

Among those present were Mr. Thomas H. Nesmith and Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Brown of this city, who happened to be in Rome.

WAGE STATISTICS

Arguments on the Cost of Living

SPRINGFIELD, April 5.—The new state commission on the cost of living, composed of Robert Luce chairman, Edward F. McSweeney, Albion F. Bemis, Medrick J. Laporte and Henry Abrahams, gave a public hearing here yesterday in the common council chamber.

Many well-known citizens appeared and gave testimony bearing upon the cost of labor and material.

Richard A. Hennessey, business agent of the bricklayers' union, said that in 1890 brick masons received $3.75 per day and worked nine hours, while they receive $4.40 a day at present and work only eight hours. The masons average about 200 working days a year and receive $880 a year now against $750 formerly.

W. H. Grady, business agent of the plumbers' and electricians' union, was of the opinion that the pay of laborers has not increased except in the case of persons employed by the city. The average laborer receives $1.50 to $1.75 a day against $2 a day for the city laborer.

W. J. La Francis of the carpenters' union said that because of improvements in machinery the carpentry work on a building which formerly cost about $900, can now be done for about $500. The lowest wages for union carpenters is $3.25 a day for eight hours.

W. H. Clark, a coal dealer of Northampton, claimed that the wholesale price of coal is $1 a ton higher at present than it was eight years ago, while the cost of labor is about 25 per cent. more. These facts together with the increased cost of grain have contributed to reduce the profit on coal, so that the net proceeds are less for the retailer than several years ago.

Commissioner McSweeney said that it had been stated in Boston that the retail coal dealers make a mixture of pea coal and nut coal and sell it for the same prices that they do the nut coal.

Mr. Clark said that this is done usually when coal is sold in small quantities, whereupon Mr. McSweeney asked if this was not cheating the customer. The witness replied he did not think so, as coal in small quantities cannot be sold as cheaply as in large quantities. That is one way, Mr. Clark said, by which the retail coal dealer makes his profit.

DEMOCRATS WON

HELENA, Mont., April 5.—In the city elections in this state yesterday the democratic and independent candidates were generally successful though party lines were not closely drawn.

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"TWIN" SULLIVAN

Gave Sailor Burke a Bad Beating

NEW YORK, April 5.—Jack (Twin) Sullivan, the Boston middleweight, gave Sailor Burke of Brooklyn, a bad beating in a 10 round bout at the Marathon A. C. in Brooklyn last night. Sullivan floored the sailor in the first and eighth rounds with a right to the jaw and had him groggy at several stages of the bout.

PAL MOORE WON

NEW YORK, April 5.—Pal Moore of Philadelphia, who claims the bantamweight championship, had it all his own way last night in a 10 round bout with Willie Jones of Brooklyn, at the Olympic A. C. in Harlem. Jones showed some cleverness but was outclassed.

FOUGHT A DRAW

NEW YORK, April 5.—Porky Flynn of Boston fought 10 rounds to a draw last night with Jim Savage of Orange, N. J., at the National Sporting Club of America. For seven rounds Savage had all the better of the bout but in the eighth Flynn floored him twice and had the better of the contest thereafter. Both men were clumsy and the fight was very rough. Flynn was cautioned several times by the referee and once threatened with dismissal from the ring.

WALSH WON

SCHENECTADY, N. Y., April 5.—Young Britt and Jimmy Walsh danced and hugged through 10 rather slow rounds here last night, Walsh winning the popular decision on points.

DIAMOND NOTES

A Lynn writer dopes it as follows:

On paper it looks as if Hamilton had mustered a bunch of recruits that would help him in his one desire to beat out Jesse Burkett and the latter's four-time champs. But a few of the old faces of last year's team are down on the list for work this season.

Cargo, for three years shortstop on the Utica club, comes to Lynn for that position, vice Joe O'Rourke, who found the Lynn club not big enough for both himself and Hamilton. Joe was traded to Albany and is to captain that club.

Pete Burg of Chicago, who last year was the smallest player in organized ball in the country, will hold down Harry Lord's corner at third. He comes back to Lynn a bigger favorite than ever and with extra salary for which he held out.

Tom Logan the second baseman secured from Burkett in trade for Billy Page, will, many fans believe, do better work for Lynn than he did for Worcester. He wanted a change, and so consented to a trade.

Metz, a young first sacker owned by the New York Giants, will undoubtedly be the successful candidate for the initial sack. He has several rivals who are doped out by their admirers to stand a chance, but the New York player ought to nose out.

Of the boxmen booked for the team Nukey Abbott of Wakefield, Charlie Girard of Brooklyn, McIntyre of New York and Barnicle, formerly with Burkett, appear to be Hamilton's principal quota. At least six other pitchers, including Smith of Watertown, are on the list for a chance to prove spell-binders.

"Gus" Daum, long since considered the best backstop in this league, will lead the bunch of recruits for his position and at the end of the practice help to pick out which one will be his side-partner.

There are several infielders in addition to the regular list who will report this week at Ocean Park. In the out-garden there are also plenty of candidates, all of whom have wired in advance their ability to clout the ball hard.

An exchange says:

Paul Howard, a Neponset youth who starred two seasons in the New England league with Lowell, broke his ankle in a practice game at Wichita, Kan., this week and will probably be out of the game all season. Howard was purchased by the Boston Americans last fall and this spring was turned over to St. Paul. He was making good and was already carded for a regular berth in the outfield when he was put out of the game by accident. His ankle was broken as he slid into second base.

Pitcher Ralph Cutting, drafted by the Pittsburg world's champions from Brockton last season, is considerably bothered with a sore arm since leaving West Baden with the Pirates, but Pittsburg papers say that he has an excellent chance of remaining with the team, as a couple of other southpaw pitchers with the squad are not showing the class exhibited by Cutting, and he is well thought of by the Pirate chiefs. He has shown the finest assortment of fancy stuff that any of the pitchers have turned loose and besides has played in the outfield a number of games, and fielded and batted well. Cutting is sure of a Class A berth if he doesn't play the coming season with the Pirates, which is more than likely, it is said, and Dreyfuss will keep a line on him anyway.

Pitcher Roy Eberly of Hinchley, Ill., drafted from the Racine, Mich., club of the Wisconsin-Illinois league for the Boston American league club and secured by Manager Flanagan for the Brockton club of 1910, is expected to be one of the members of the Brockton squad to report and will probably put in an appearance some time next week.

Eberly has had several years' experience in the west, and last season made a fine record with the Racine team, though that club finished only fourth in the race and won little better than half their games. He was in the same league with Dulin, the big third baseman, who has been secured also for the Brockton club.

Eberly won 17 games and lost 9 last season with Racine, and his work during the several seasons he has been pitching fine ball had attracted the attention of the scouts, and several big league clubs were after him.

The Boston Americans got a draft on the promising young player, and though they have so many pitchers that they won't use Eberly this season, Patsy Donovan was very anxious to keep his find near the Hub where he could watch him develop and maintains a "string" on him. Eberly is a young ball player, about 21 years old, but is cool-headed and clever, a big fellow with right hand delivery, and it is expected that he will make quite a reputation in his debut in the New England league.

"Stuffy" McInnis, the Gloucester youngster who played with the Haverhill New England league club at shortstop two years ago creating such a sensation that he was snapped up by Connie Mack of the Philadelphia Americans and kept under his tutelage all last season, broke his left knee cap in an exhibition game with the Nashville, Tenn., last Friday, and has been ordered back to Philadelphia, and besides being laid up for the remainder of the present season may be out of the game for good.

No youngster in the big league company gave greater promise than McInnis and the report of his injury comes as a great shock to his many friends and admirers, both at home and in this city. He wrote to a friend in Gloucester that on Friday last he was hit in the knee with a pitched ball and that it hurt him badly. The injury was not considered a serious one at the time, but a telegram from "Stuffy" says that he has broken his knee cap and had been ordered back to Philadelphia.

McInnis went south with the Philadelphia Americans and gave great promise of making the team by his work in the infield. He left with the regulars for the return trip north and had gotten as far as Nashville when the streak of bad luck overtook him. Last season he played much of the time with the Atlantic City, N. J., club.

The Lawrence management says that if Harry Noyes is coming to any team in the New England league that he will come to this city. The story that was published in the Boston Herald to the effect that he had agreed to play with Haverhill is thought to be a mistake, as the papers passed from Nashville to Lawrence, whereby the player became the property of the Lawrence club. If he plays with any team outside of Lawrence then he does so with the consent of the local club. Lawrence has not waived its right to the player, so that his future course is up to the local management. Noyes is a third baseman who has played in the Connecticut league, but who was with Nashville last season. He does not like the south. He is said to be a good man.—Lawrence Eagle.

The signed contract of Bobby Vance arrived yesterday and Manager O'Brien was quite relieved to get it, says the Fall River Globe. Although Vance agreed orally to terms last week, he allowed several days to elapse before signing the contract, which disturbed the local manager in view of the fact that "Pop" Foster was pulling wires to land the husky youngster for Holyoke. There is a possibility that Vance may try out at first base, although he hasn't committed himself to that course yet.

Shaw, a fast young fielder from Providence, who has shone in the Mill league, will probably be given a tryout here. Charles Lanigan, the umpire, brought him down here the other night so that the situation could be discussed with him. Reports from players who opposed him in that league are to the effect that Shaw is a likely performer. —Fall River Globe.

"RUBE" WADDELL MARRIED

ST. LOUIS, April 5.—George Edward Waddell, pitcher for the St. Louis Americans, and Miss Madge MacDuff of Pattiesburg, Miss., were married last night. Waddell recently obtained a divorce from his first wife, a Boston woman.

COLONEL ROOSEVELT LOOKING FOR HIS WIFE AND LAST PICTURE OF AFRICAN HUNT



NEW YORK, April 5.—While Kermit Roosevelt has lost his beard—the beard he grew during a year in the jungle—Colonel Roosevelt, according to cablegrams, has nothing to show now in a physical way of his long hunt but hardened muscles and a deep tan. The first photographs of Colonel Roosevelt's farewell to his faithful native hunters of Africa have just arrived in this country. One of the most striking pictures shows the colonel leaning over the side of his boat as it floated down the Nile, anxious to catch a glimpse of his wife, who he thought was waiting at the dock to see him.

CRACK SWIMMERS ENTERED IN NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP EVENT



ST. LOUIS, April 5.—Swimming enthusiasts here are deeply interested in the coming national 150 yards back stroke championship to be held at the Missouri A. C., April 9. Nearly all the crack swimmers of the west and some from the east are entered, and a lively contest is expected. The dark horse in the race is Edward Maisack, the East Liberty A. C. of Pittsburg star, who is heralded by his clubmates as fast a back stroke swimmer as ever was produced. He has covered 150 yards in 2 minutes and 2 seconds from a tidewater start, and this is better than Daniels' mark of 2 minutes 4 3-5 seconds and almost as good as Goessling's record of 2 minutes 1-5 second, made from a dive. A dive means at least the advantage of one second. Maisack is practically a novice, but it is thought he will give Goessling the race of his life when they meet. J. M. Handy, the national ten mile champion, is entered and will no doubt come near capturing the contest.

NOTICE

Industry council 1722, R. A., will hold Ladies' Night at Odd Fellows Temple, Middlesex St., Wednesday evening, April 6, at 8 o'clock. Members invited without further notice.

WORCESTER BOY

Says That Strangers Shipped Him Away

BOSTON, April 5.—Claiming he had been thrown into a coal car attached to a moving freight train by two unknown men, Walter L. Granger, 10 years old, of Worcester, was found in a pitiable condition by the station master at Riverside station, Auburndale, late yesterday afternoon.

Young Granger is a son of Arthur Granger, a carpenter, of East Worcester street, Worcester, and says that while on his way to school shortly before 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon he stopped to play with a schoolmate in a freight yard in Worcester. The lad says two strange men came along and, picking him up, carried him a short way and dropped him into a slowly passing freight train. The train quickly gathered speed and, not daring to attempt to get out, the boy was carried to Riverside, the first stop the freight made.

The police were notified and the boy was taken to headquarters at West Newton, where he was cared for. The police are investigating the boy's story. In the meantime Lieut. Soule has him under his care.

JIM JEFFRIES

STARTED FOR HIS TRAINING CAMP TODAY

SAN FRANCISCO, April 5.—"I have been practically in training for this fight for a year," said Jim Jeffries today before starting for his training camp in the Santa Cruz mountains. "and I know pretty well by this time what I can do. The weight is not bothering me in the least. I am going to be fit when I enter the ring. For all the work I have done I expect to spend a hard three months in the Santa Cruz mountains. I can stand the training and I want to be absolutely perfect. I have not said that this fellow Johnson would be tough or that he would be easy. You can't tell about those matters."

TEXTILES SHOWED WELL

The Textile school first and freshmen teams crossed bats on the campus yesterday afternoon, the first team winning by a score of 11 to 2. For an opener both teams put up a good game and gave great promise of good work later.

The lineup: First team—Murray, Hartford, p; Thaxter, c; North, 1b; Hardy, 2b; Gale ss; Phillips, 3b; Jefferson, lf; Daw, cf; Wise, rf.

Freshmen—Keough, p; Frost, c; Crane, Casey, 1b; Munroe, 2b; Nivon, ss; Miner, 3b; Coan, lf; Hastings, cf; Clarke, rf.

CONKLIN WON BILLIARD GAME

NEW YORK, April 5.—Charles F. Conklin, of the Chicago Athletic association, a former national champion, won the opening game of the annual tournament of the National Association of Amateur Billiard players at the Hamilton club, Brooklyn, last night. His opponent was Dr. Walter E. Uffenheimer of Philadelphia, and the final score was 400 to 243. The game was 400 points up, 18.2 balk line, anchor barred, and each man reached his 52nd inning before the game was decided. Conklin did not get good control of the ivories until the 42nd inning, when he made a run of 69.

HOLE IN GLOVE

Caused the Death of a Lineman

BOSTON, April 5.—Unaware that there was a break in his rubber glove, Michael Clancy, a lineman in the employ of the Edison Electric Illuminating company, started to repair a live wire at the corner of Humboldt ave., and Brookledge street, Roxbury, at 2 o'clock, yesterday afternoon, and touching the wire with a metal tool, which he held in the supposedly safely enshrouded hand, sustained a shock of about 4600 volts, death being instantaneous.

The body fell to the sidewalk with a thud, the sight causing two women, who were passing, to swoon. The lifeless body was carried to a nearby dwelling and a physician summoned. One glance was sufficient to tell the doctor that life had departed.

An examination of Clancy's glove showed that there was a small hole, caused by wear, between the thumb and fore-finger and it was through this tiny aperture that the electricity raced causing the lineman to lose control of his arms and fall forward onto the wire. He apparently straightened when his body came in contact with the wire and tumbled backward and to the sidewalk, a distance of twenty feet.

The body was removed to the city hospital morgue. Clancy was 40 years of age and single. He boarded with Mrs. Mary Burke at 70 Zeigler street and leaves a brother, John, in Springfield.

RECORD MAN

WAS ARRESTED BY THE BOSTON POLICE

BOSTON, April 5.—Ernest D. Blackwell, who holds the undisputed record of being arrested more times than any other man in Boston, is again in the custody of the local police. Headquarters men have long since got tired, they say, of keeping tabs on the number of times that Blackwell has been arrested, but venture that 50 times in 15 years would be a conservative estimate.

Blackwell is a petty offender. Passing worthless checks for small amounts, small business chance frauds, larceny, non-support of his wife and wife-beating are some of the charges that he has been arrested upon. Charged with passing three worthless checks, aggregating $11.77, landed him in a cell yesterday.

COBB RESOLUTION

IN CONGER CASE WILL NOT BE ACTED UPON

ALBANY, N. Y., April 5.—Senator Ben Conger's voluntary withdrawal from the senate last night made it unnecessary for the judiciary committee to act today on the Cobb resolution providing for the appointment of a committee to draw up charges against ex-Senator Allds' accuser as a result of the disclosures made during the bribery investigation.

Conger had asked to be heard in his own behalf and the committee had fixed today at 10 a. m. as the time for hearing what he might have to say.

DESTROYED BY FIRE

Arthur Rhodes Lost Big Auto on the Nashua Road

A Wayne touring car, the property of Arthur Rhodes, proprietor of the hair store in Merrimack street, was destroyed by fire on the Nashua road, about two miles and a half beyond Tyngsboro, Sunday evening.

Mr. Rhodes with his family and some friends from out of town were enjoying a little joy ride when the accident occurred. The beginning of the trouble was the breaking of a push rod. While Mr. Rhodes was puzzling his brain over the broken rod, William Hinckley, the Middle street electrician, happened along in his car and after looking the break over decided to take the rod to Nashua. When he returned with the rod it was found that it didn't fit and just for that Mr. Hinckley had to make another trip to Nashua.

In the meantime Mr. Rhodes had sent his family and guests home in carriages. Mr. Rhodes and Mr. Hinckley had removed two or three little bolts and Mr. Rhodes thought he could facilitate matters by putting the bolts in position before the arrival of Mr. Hinckley from Nashua on his second trip.

Darkness had set in and in order to see where the bolts belonged Mr. Rhodes had to light a match. The lighting of the match was followed by a little puff of blue light and then it was all off. The oil saturated canvas serving as an apron, on the bottom of the machine was reached by the little blue light and the touring car was a wreck in less time than it takes to tell it.

The thing had just happened when Mr. Hinckley arrived from Nashua. He and Mr. Rhodes, assisted by persons living in the vicinity, threw sand and gravel upon the fire but it was a hopeless case. Mr. Rhodes telephoned the fire department in Nashua but they said he would have to "let 'er burn" as the department couldn't do anything with a gasoline fire. When the thing was over all that remained was the frame and engine which were cast into a field for future reference. The car was insured through the agency of Fred C. Church.

EIGHT HOUR BILL

Passed to Third Reading in House Yesterday

The eight hour bill came up in the legislature yesterday and was passed to a third reading.

All the Lowell members of the house voted for the bill with the exception of Rep. Charles T. Killpatrick.

FUNERALS

SHORE—All that was mortal of the late Sarah Shore, wife of Zachariah Shore, was consigned to its final resting place in the family lot in the Catholic cemetery yesterday. The esteem in which the deceased was held by her many friends and relatives was evidenced by the large attendance at the funeral and the profusion of beautiful floral tributes.

The funeral which took place from her late home, 161 Humphrey street, at 8.30 o'clock was attended by relatives and friends, including many from out of town and proceeded to St. Michael's church in Sixth street where a high mass of requiem was celebrated at nine o'clock by Rev. Dennis J. Murphy. The choir was in attendance and rendered the Gregorian mass, appropriate solos being rendered by members of the choir during the service.

Among the beautiful floral offerings the following were the most prominent: Heart on base, bearing the inscription "Dear Wife," from the husband of the deceased; mammoth vacant chair of roses, carnations, galax leaves and maiden hair ferns, from Frank, Raymond and Mary, children of deceased; pillow inscribed "Grandma," Arthur and Paul Shore; wreath on base, inscribed "Grandma," from Kathleen, Mabel and Zachary Shore; star on base, inscribed "Sister," Mr. and Mrs. T. O'Toole of Brooklyn; basket of cut flowers, Orson Minor and family; cross on base, bearing the inscription "Eternal Rest," from the employes of the yard department of the Shaw Stocking company; wreath, yarn department, Shaw Stocking company; wreath, Messrs. Libby and Hall of the Shaw Stocking company; pillow of pinks and roses, Mr. and Mrs. William Bakewell of Lynn; large cross on base, from the employes of the Lowell post office; cross on base, Mrs. Keefe, Mrs. Bowers and Mrs. Conroy; wreath, Agnes and Lizzie Gara; wreath, McCluskey family; wreath, James Bakewell and family; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. Roussell and family; wreath, Mrs. M. J. Meagher; spray of sweet peas, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Garland; spray of pinks, Mrs. L. J. Tighe and family; spray of pinks, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Kenney; spray of lilies, Michael Finley and family; spray of tulips, Mrs. Mary MacLaughlin and Miss Margaret MacLaughlin; spray of pinks, Edward O'Connor and family; spray of pinks, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Judge; spray of pinks, Mrs. John Whittaker and Mrs. E. L. Walker; spray of pinks, Mary Soroghan and Josie Mawn and spray of sweet peas, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Guild.

The bearers were Messrs. John Garrigan, Edward O'Connor, Joseph Shore, Dennis Reardon, William Hanchett and Charles P. Comerford.

The interment was in the Catholic cemetery where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Murphy. The funeral was under the direction of Funeral Director John F. Rogers.

BURNS—The funeral of the late Frederick J. Burns took place yesterday from his late home, 329 Concord street at 8.15 o'clock and was largely attended. The funeral cortege proceeded to the Immaculate Conception church where at 9 o'clock high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Dennis A. Sullivan, O. M. I. The music of the mass was particularly impressive. The choir under the direction of Joseph P. Courtney rendered the Gregorian chant. At the offertory Mr. Edward Shea sang "Pie Jesu." After the elevation John J. Dalton sang, "O Meritum Passionis" and as the body was leaving the church the choir sang "In Paradisum." Mrs. Hugh Walker presided at the organ. The bearers were Messrs. Timothy F. McCarthy, William F. Cawley, Frank P. McNulty, Edward P. Riley, James A. Harrington and Arthur Devlin. Present at the funeral was a delegation from the Eagles consisting of Messrs. George Garrett, Joseph Devine, Jeremiah Connors and Terrence F. Leonard. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery where Rev. Fr. Sullivan read the prayers at the grave. The interment was in charge of Undertaker Peter H. Savage and the funeral arrangements in charge of Timothy F. McCarthy.

Among the many beautiful floral tributes laid upon the grave were the following: Pillow inscribed "Our Boy," from parents; standing wreath on base, inscribed "Brother," from brother and sister of deceased; wreath, inscribed "Godfather," from Master Hugh F. Downey; broken wreath on sickle, Timothy F. McCarthy; standing cross of assorted flowers, Mr. and Mrs. James F. McCarthy and family; wreath of carnations, Miss Annie Devine; wreath of roses, Mr. and Mrs. Owen J. Carney; basket, Baby Ellen Devine; large pillow, Lowell Aerie, 223 Eagles; standing cross inscribed "Goodby Fred," Mr. and Mrs. John J. Pendergast; standing cross, Frank McNulty, John C. Rourke, Patrick Fitzgerald, Jas. E. Sullivan, Timothy B. Riley and William F. McVey, standing wreath, inscribed "Farewell," from James J. Harrington and John H. Moore; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. David Halloran; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Brine; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. Martin J. Halloran; spray of Jack roses, Misses Mary and Margaret Halloran; mound of carnations, Miss Tancred; wreath of tea roses, Mr. and Mrs. John McNeese; heart of carnations, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Callahan; spray, Miss Dorothy Bunker; mound, Mr. Martin Mack and Stephen Lawton; spray, Mr. and Mrs. Peter H. Donohoe; spray, a friend; spray, Henry Somers; spray, Mr. and Mrs. George Donnelly; wreath, Mr. William May.

DEATHS

CUFF—The many friends of Miss Annie T. Cuff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Cuff, will be deeply pained to learn of her death which occurred yesterday at the home of her parents, 195 Moore street. The deceased was a well known member of the Sacred Heart church, where she was a leader in all parish movements. She was a prominent member of the Children of Mary sodality. She leaves to mourn her loss besides her parents, five sisters, Misses Mary, Katherine and Josie Cuff, Mrs. John Murphy and Mrs. Joseph Fahey, and two brothers, Representative Thomas S. Cuff and James Cuff. Funeral notice later.

FUNERAL NOTICE

CLARK—The funeral of George E. Clark will take place Thursday morning instead of Wednesday morning as announced previously from his home, 103 Pleasant street at 9 o'clock. Mass of requiem at the Immaculate Conception church at 10 o'clock, J. F. O'Donnell & Sons in charge.

DRUG CLERK

WAS THE VICTIM OF A PRACTICAL JOKE.

A well known clerk in a Central street drug store was the victim of a practical joke at the northern station a few days ago. "Jimmy" invited his young lady friend who resides in Worcester to attend a dancing party in this city and the following day accompanied her to the train. Being a gallant young man he escorted her to a seat in the car and remained with her until time for the train to start. While seated with the young lady, two of his friends saw him and seeing a chance to joke "Jimmy" they purchased at a neighboring store some confetti and rice which they proceeded to shower on "Jimmy" and his young friend, until the attention of the other passengers was attracted to the young couple. It was about train time then, and when "Jimmy" made his escape from the car, just as it was pulling out of the station, other passengers must have come to the conclusion that there was a desertion.

TWO BURGLARS

WERE SCARED AWAY BY A NEWTON GIRL

NEWTON, April 5.—Two burglars were scared from the home of C. P. Kelly, 28 Bowdoin street, Newton Highlands, early yesterday morning by a youthful maid, who chased the two desperadoes with a broomstick.

The servant, Miss Cecilia Gallagan, heard a noise in the lower floors of the house and seizing a cut-off broom handle that she keeps by her bedside, she walked bravely down the stairs.

Observing two burglars in the act of putting some jewelry in a bag she cried "police!" and rushed at them, brandishing the stick.

The two intruders took to their heels and, leaping through an open window in the dining-room, disappeared in the darkness. Neighbors were awakened by the cries of the maid and came to aid her. The thieves escaped in the woods behind the house.

The police believe that the men are the same men who entered the home of Fred O. Loveland on Elmwood street last week, and stole $200 worth of jewelry. The operations of these two burglars are peculiar, inasmuch as they take nothing but jewelry.

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CONGER RESIGNS

Senator Says His Usefulness as Legislator is Ended

ALBANY, N. Y., April 5.—Rising to a question of personal privilege in the senate last night, Sen. Benn Conger, after reading a statement in which he declared he fully realized that as a consequence of the Allds bribery charges his usefulness as a legislator was at an end, handed his resignation to Lieutenant Governor White, a duplicate of which he later filed with the secretary of state.

With ashen face and trembling hand Sen. Jotham P. Allds' accuser read from a typewritten statement giving his reasons for severing his official connection with the senate. When he had finished he sent his resignation to the desk and quickly left the chamber.

Sen. Conger said he sought no excuse for the part he took in the bribery transaction in 1901. "The one grand sorrowful regret of my brother," he said, "was that he had submitted to the demand of the worst gang of plunderers that ever infested this or any other capitol."

Conger's statement, in part, follows:

"On January 4 last, in a private conference where the qualifications of ex-Sen. Allds for the position of republican leader of the senate were being considered, I was asked to declare my position. I replied that I would not and could not vote for him because I had personal knowledge that he was morally unfit for the place. I told them in confidence, what I, as a witness on the stand, have since then told you, namely, that I personally knew that in 1901, when republican leader in the assembly, he had held up and demanded of the bridge companies and had received from them the sum of one thousand dollars to influence his official action, and that I did not purpose by any act of mine, to place him again in position where he could levy blackmail on the business interests of this state.

"It appears that this statement became known to Mr. Allds on the following morning. On January 19, on this floor, he denied the truth of those statements and demanded an investigation thereof. Thereupon, this body ordered an investigation of the matter and called upon me to present the charge to the senate and to make good by proof, to the public, the statements which I had made in private.

"So the alternative was presented to me of becoming a liar and thereby remaining a member of this body in good standing, or of speaking the truth, and thereby greatly injuring myself financially, politically and socially, and bringing upon my family undesirable notoriety and sorrow. I determined that the only thing I could do and retain my own self respect, was to speak the truth, whatever the cost. That I have done, and forty of your number by your votes, have certified thereto.

"I do not seek to excuse, nor do I ask you or others to excuse the part which I took in the transaction of 1901 which you have had under investigation. The one great and sorrowful regret of my brother was that he had submitted to the demand of the worst gang of plunderers that ever infested this or any other capitol. My wrong, and for it I have always been ashamed and sincerely sorry, was in standing by and permitting the thing to be done instead of then and there denouncing it.

Notwithstanding the fact that the policy of the state is that the bribe-giver who, by his evidence assists in uncovering and proving the offense, ought not to be punished; and notwithstanding the fact I have made full disclosure of the transaction, I am informed that it is now proposed by some of your members to appoint a committee which shall prepare and present to this body charges against me, and that a trial of such charges is now proposed to be had and an attempt made to expel me as a member of this body.

"I have no desire to remain a member of this great legislative body if my presence is to give offense to any of its members. I realize that my usefulness to my district as a member of this legislature is at an end. Needed legislation ought not to be longer delayed and so I am going to voluntarily surrender my office.

"While a member of this body, I have at all times and in all things tried to do my duty as I have seen it. I am sure that in what I have done in connection with the investigation which has just closed, I have but discharged a duty which I owed my party and to the people of this state, and that I have been true to myself."

Sen. Cobb's resolution providing for the appointment of a committee to prepare charges against Sen. Conger was to have been considered by the senate judiciary committee today and Conger had asked for a hearing. His resignation last night marks the end of the bribery scandal.

House lots to be sold in Lowell Highlands on Saturday, April 9th, have city conveniences, and are within five minutes' walk of three schools.

DRACUT

The annual meeting of the Dracut water supply district will be held tonight at the Grange hall in Dracut Centre.

The annual report of the water commissioners is in circulation and it contains much valuable information, especially to those who reside in the water district.

The treasurer's report shows the receipts of the district including water rates, taxes and loans to have been $14,133.62. Of that amount, $13,673.82 was paid out on commissioner's orders, interest, note and bond debt, leaving a cash balance of $459.80.

The financial statement of the commissioners includes the above figures besides giving the amounts due the district. These are itemized as follows: Due from taxes, $1037.19; water rates, $282.23; construction account, $244.06; total amount due $1563.48, which with cash balance of $459.80, totals, $2023.28.

The anticipation loan note of $1975 about due will reduce the cash on hand account to $48.28.

Under construction the several acquisitions to the names, mains and house services during the year are itemized in a lucidly detailed manner. This shows the total construction expense to have been $5506.57. The receipts and amounts due from construction is placed at $738.76 making net cost for the work including material and stock to have been $5767.81.

A total of 7799 feet of pipe of various sizes was put in during the year; 36 services were added making 222 water takers; the district now has 9.08 miles of pipe and the total cost of construction is placed at $66,993.81.

The total cost of maintenance for the year was $536.86, which with superintendent's salary and interest on bonds makes the total maintenance of $4055.46.

The total amount of water pumped during the year was 13,386,322 gallons. The total cost of pumping a million gallons per gasoline consumption was $17.93. For pumping same amount figured on total maintenance, $114.69. Cost of supplying per million gallons figured on total maintenance, $303.10.

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BOOK-A-MONTH CLUB

The Book-a-Month club met last night at the residence of Dr. Roderique Mignault, 341 Merrimack street, with a large attendance of members. Mrs. William E. Kezer presided at the business meeting and Mrs. Herbert E. Fletcher of Westford gave an interesting as well as instructive talk on Halley's comet. After several books were discussed an excellent musical program was given by Miss Elnora Burke, violinist, formerly a pupil at the Perkins Institute for the Blind, and Mr. Harrison A. Cooke, of the class '12 of Textile school, pianist. A social hour followed and Mrs. F. L. Roberts and Mrs. William Stanley served, assisted by Mrs. August P. Sarre and Miss Emily Cornock. A vote of thanks was given Miss Burke and Mr. Cooke.

ROYAL ARCANUM

Industry Council, 1722, Royal Arcanum will conduct a ladies' night at its meeting Wednesday evening in Odd Fellows temple, Middlesex street. There will be whist from 8.30 to 10.30 under the direction of the following committee: James W. McKenna, Paul Murray and Regent John W. Sharkey. Suitable prizes will be awarded to the ladies and gentlemen making the highest number of points in whist. In the upper hall dancing will begin at 8 o'clock and continue all evening, music for the occasion being furnished by Gilmore's orchestra under the direction of Bro. Wm. T. Gilmore. During intermission a collation will be served by the committee. The officers of the affair are as follows: General manager, David A. Hogan; floor marshal, James E. Gorman; aids, James Boyd, Paul Murray, Joseph Kelley, James Carney, Harvey Chase, James Tully, James Maguire, James Schrigley. Reception committee, John W. Sharkey, chairman; Frank Fox, secretary; Wm. H. Stafford, R. T. Mower, Dr. Joseph H. Meehan, Thomas Moss, John J. Ivers, Charles H. O'Donnell, Thomas P. Boulger, M. Sullivan, Thomas McDermod, James Dunn, John Conway, Thomas Ready, Geo. Maguire, James W. McKenna, Alexander Rountree, Dr. Hugh Walker; officers of the committee, D. A. Hogan, chairman; James W. McKenna, secretary.

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REV. DR. FRANCIS

Spoke on Christian Socialism at Worthen Street Church

"The Program of Constructive Christianity" was the subject of an interesting address by Rev. Dr. J. A. Francis before the Lowell Baptist Union in the Worthen Street Baptist church, last night. Dr. Francis is pastor of the Clarendon Street Baptist church, Boston. He said, in part:

"Much Socialism levels down the man from the top, but Christian Socialism believes in lifting up the man from the bottom. Christ will never cease in his work here until the industrial and economic realms are pervaded with the same spirit we carry into our missionary labors. Every realm of human activity is some day to be consecrated to Jesus Christ, just as our Christian church is now.

"Great emphasis has in recent years been laid on the social side of Christianity; more than was ever laid before. We used to be very particular about a man's theological beliefs. Now when a man wants to come into a church we ask how he lives and how he treats his fellow men. Is there a change in the attitude of the church towards men, or is it a new reading of the gospel, which imparts our new ideas?

"I believe that many workingmen and working women believe that the church is always against the downtrodden, but God is always on the side of fair play, always on the side of the under dog, when he is kept under. If workingmen and women would see God in that light, it would be a precious boon for the Christian church. Too long the church has been looked upon as antagonistic to the working people.

"I can go to a city in this country and stand before the mansion of a man who is reputed to be worth between 200 and 250 millions, and within four minutes' walk from that man's home I can show you women working over sewing machines 14 hours a day for 62 cents! I wonder what an old Hebrew prophet would say if turned loose among such conditions. He would make the people of this world sit up and take notice. He would make Teddy and his big stick look very mild, indeed!

"Some people read through the New Testament to find out individual salvation. But no man or woman who makes of his or her life a business of getting to heaven himself or herself will ever get there. There isn't any room for such people.

"I want to say something. Some may disagree with me. It will give you a chance to think, anyway. I'm enough of a Baptist to think a bit more of the men who disagree with me than of the man who agrees with me.

"I don't believe that the Christian religion and our competitive system of business will ever flourish permanently side by side. One of them is going to kill the other. The competitive idea in business life is an unChristian idea. Christian men may take the edge off it, but until cooperation takes the place of competition this world will not be Christianized. The change cannot come suddenly, with a revolution. Such changes must work about gradually."

The union met about 7 o'clock in the vestry and Dr. Francis came late. At 7.30 o'clock invocation was given by Rev. B. A. Willmott, pastor of the First Congregational church. This was followed by supper, and about 8.30 o'clock the evening's program was given. Miss Mildred Brennan gave a violin number, and the quartet of the church sang the "Bridal Song." Minor business was then transacted, and the quartet followed with its second number, "Moonlight and Music." The formal greeting to the union was given by Rev. Allan C. Ferrin, president of the Lowell Congregational club, and after this Miss Brennan played another violin solo. The evening closed with the singing of "I am Thine, O Lord," by the union, and with the giving of the benediction.

Gilmore's Prescott hall, tonight.

FOR CHILDREN'S HOME

An entertainment for the benefit of the Children's Home in Kirk street will be held in Colonial hall tonight. The program will be in charge of Mildred Sheldon Bass, dramatic reader, assisted by the Anita quartet.

MAJORITY OF 106

In Favor of Premier Asquith

LONDON, April 5.—Under Premier Asquith's guillotine procedure, the house of commons last night rejected, by a vote of 357 to 251, the opposition amendment to the premier's resolution of the veto power of the house of lords, which was moved by Sir Robert Finlay, and agreed that the premier's motion should go to committee without division.

The house was crowded and many peers and diplomats were present. The announcement of the figures, showing that the government was sure of a majority of 106 for the veto resolutions, was greeted with prolonged ministerial cheers.

Remember the sale of house lots on Saturday, April 9, at 2.30 p.m., in the Lowell Highlands is not a land boom. The owner is selling on account of poor health.

HOLY NAME

OF IMMACULATE CONCEPTION PARISH HELD MEETING.

At a well attended meeting of the Holy Name society of the Immaculate Conception parish, held last night, 22 new members were admitted and four propositions for membership were received.

The committee in charge of the concert and lecture which is to be held in the school hall Thursday night in aid of the church debt fund reported progress. Mr. David Martin is to have charge of the concert and Rev. Fr. Nolan, O. M. I., pastor of the Immaculate Conception church, will deliver a lecture.

Gilmore's Prescott hall, tonight.

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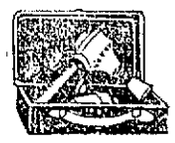
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This is by far the largest average circulation of any newspaper in Lowell.

The general court evidently does not intend to have any radical change in the liquor laws take effect this year.

Matters are moving very slowly in the public hall matter. The city council has the power to do as it pleases in this matter, and it is to be hoped it will take hold and see that the best interests of the city will be subserved in the selection of a site and the construction of a building.

The gold of Lebanon, N. H., has been assayed as "mud" not quite up to the standard of the material which a noted faker extracted from sea water when he deposited a little gold dust with the sand to convince his dupes that sea water is auriferous and that only the right process of extraction is needed to reap an immense fortune.

The republican leaders are anxious to see Mr. Foss get the nomination for governor next fall. They feel that in congress he will be a standing menace to the party interests. Had Mr. Foss' policy of reciprocity with Canada been followed in the past, Secretary Knox would not have been obliged to accept such an unfavorable settlement as the recent tariff compact with Canada.

THE POPULAR SIDE.

Certain members of the legislature are not raising themselves in public esteem when they admit openly that they voted for a bill which they believed to be bad, simply to be on the popular side. The member who votes for what he believes to be wrong merely to avoid criticism is not the right man to represent the people. The man who votes for the right as he sees it, not the man who takes the popular side right or wrong, is the man in whom the people should put their trust.

FAST TRAINS TO NEW YORK.

Lowell is to be felicitated upon the new fast train service to and from New York. That is an example of the benefits of having the N. Y., N. H. & H. controlling the service in New England.

The through train from Lowell to New York will enable a resident of Lowell to leave this city at 11.50 or practically at noon and arrive in New York at 5.55, leaving ample time to have supper and get ready for the opera. By leaving New York at 9 a. m. the return train reaches Lowell at 3.05. Thus the trip either way is made in six hours and five minutes, which is a gain of more than an hour over the best time possible under the old schedules.

THE PITTSBURG DISGRACE.

Only profound sympathy can be felt for the city of Pittsburg in the disgraceful revelations of corruption among her elected officials and her business men. As a rule it is almost impossible to secure evidence of bribery, but in the Pittsburg cases the officials who received the money seem to be tumbling over one another to tell all about it. The charges affect so many and such eminent men that everybody is astonished. The press of Pittsburg has not done its duty or such a state of affairs never could have existed for a single month. It is a serious thing for a newspaper to charge public officials with corruption or the acceptance of bribes because the people who offer the bribes, being equally amenable to punishment, may be expected to deny the charge, unless some documentary evidence be forthcoming that makes their denial worthless. The evidence has leaked out in Pittsburg and it has smirched the character of men in high station. We blush for the press of a city like Pittsburg that permitted such corruption to run riot without prompt exposure.

A HUMANE MEASURE.

A bill is now before the legislature, the purpose of which is quite humane, but yet the constitutionality of which may be questioned.

Rep. Quinn of Swampscott submitted a bill last year, the object of which was to prevent cities and towns from publishing the names of the unfortunates who receive aid from town, city or state or soldiers' relief. Many towns have considered it necessary as a guarantee of honesty on the part of their officials to publish a detailed list of all disbursements. This, of course, would include the names of those who receive relief as paupers. The publication would serve not only to show what was done with the money but also to prevent unworthy parties being kept on the relief list. But it would at the same time expose unnecessarily the identity of those who receive relief regularly.

It is difficult to say to a town or city that such publication shall not be made, but on the other hand it seems needlessly harsh to publish the names. Only a mere suggestion should be needed to avert a course that would not only wound the feelings of the worthy recipients of aid but would also prevent many worthy poor from applying for relief when they sorely need it. It is a mistake to suppose that all the poor are ready to apply for or accept relief from a city or town. Families have been known to suffer want almost to the point of starvation rather than apply for aid.

Rep. Quinn means all right in pushing this bill, but if good judgment prevailed among the officials of towns and cities engaged in the dispensation of relief no such law would be necessary.

The people fear publicity of this kind. The unfortunates who appear in police court are equally averse to publicity, although every decent newspaper respects their feelings to a far greater extent than is supposed by the general public. It very often requires a law, however, to oblige some people to perform their simple duty. That is the only excuse for enacting Rep. Quinn's bill which in the opinion of some towns would prohibit a course which has been resorted to only as a protection to the taxpayers against imposition and dishonesty.

SEEN AND HEARD

There's many a man talks another man's think when he ought to be thinking his own.

Some of us would delight in gardening if it wasn't so hard on one's back.

Birthday celebrations sometimes furnish food for reflection.

She was the lady of his choice and he took no pains to conceal it.

"I'll bet you don't know what day tomorrow is," she announced suddenly.

"Why, Tuesday, of course," he answered in a puzzled tone.

"Oh, I don't mean that kind of a day. I knew you didn't know."

"I don't know. What do you mean?" he replied, helplessly.

"Well, I guess I'll have to tell you." She pretended she was hurt. "It will be my birthday."

"Congratulations, Alice. Congratulations," he exclaimed, enthusiastically. "And how old may—"

"That's for you to find out," she answered, laughing.

"Well, I bet I know."

"You do?"

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"What did Mr. Graham order today?"

"Eighteen roses, sir" answered Willie.

"Eighteen? He's a pretty good customer. Throw in a dozen more."

—National Monthly

"ME AND YOU"

What's the best thing that you have ever done?
The whitest day.
The cleverest play
That you ever set in the shine of the sun?
The time that you felt just a wee bit proud
Of defying the cry of the cowardly crowd
And stood back to back with God?
Aye, I notice you nod,
But silence yourself, lest you bring me shame
That I have no answering deed to name.

What's the worst thing that ever you did?
The darkest spot,
The blackest blot
On the page you have pasted together and hid?
Ah, sometimes you think you've forgotten it quite,
Till it crawls in your bed in the dead of the night
And brands you its own with a blush.
What was it? Nay, hush!
Don't tell it to me, for fear it be known
That I have an answering blush of my own.

But whenever you notice a clean hit made,
Sing high and clear
The sounding cheer
You would gladly have heard for the play you played.
And when a man walks in the way forbidden,
Think you of the thing you have happily bidden
And spare him the sting of your tongue.
Do I do that which I've sung?
Well, it may be I don't and it may be I do,
But I'm telling the thing which is good for you!

—Edmund Vance Cook.

PEOPLE OF NOTE

Dr. Gouraud, the French dietetian, says that a rational diet is one that while pleasant to the taste, maintains the bodily equilibrium, favors the easy working of all the organs and reduces to a minimum the work they have to do.

A telegram from London affirms that Louis Parker is to make the English version of "Chantecler" and that Miss Adams will play the part of the Cock in America. Such a choice for the part seems almost incredible. Guitry, who is acting Chantecler in Paris, is a man of unusual physical and nervous strength and in the flower of his years. Yet time and again he has said publicly and privately that the burden of disguise, action and long speeches was almost beyond his endurance. And now Miss Adams, the fragile in all but nervous ambition, would make such a venture. Yet it was years before she quite wore away the effects of the over-strain of "L'Aiglon" upon her bodily and her histrionic resources.

An interesting law suit has been started by the widow of Emile Zola against the Cheap Homes society of Paris. It appears that soon after the death of the author Mme. Zola presented to the society a bronze statue by Pietro Vorghi, representing a chained galley slave. The pedestal bore an inscription laudatory of Zola's work in the interest of Captain Dreyfus. No appropriate place could be found by the society for the erection of the memorial, and it was stored in a shed. There it was improperly braced and recently it fell and was broken. There were no funds available to make repairs, so it was broken up and sold for junk, the society realizing 360 francs. Mme. Zola now sues the society for 10,000 francs. "All who know her," says a Paris letter, "realize that Mme. Zola is not interested in the money part of the suit, but she hopes to win in order that punishment may fall upon the society."

Andrew Carnegie's gift of $40,000 to Wells College for the establishment of a Frances Cleveland Library in honor of a Mrs. Cleveland, who is a Wells graduate, was announced the other day at the twenty-seventh annual luncheon of the Eastern Association of the College at Sherry's. Mrs. Cleveland, who is in Europe, sent her regrets at being unable to attend.

PRESIDENT LYNCH

HAS A TALK WITH NATIONAL LEAGUE UMPIRES

NEW YORK, April 5.—President Lynch of the National league went over the playing rules with his umpires at a five hours' conference in New York yesterday. Lynch told his men that they were the monarchs of the field and that all they had to do in order to retain their positions was to enforce the playing code.

Photographers, he said, no longer will be allowed near the diamond after a game starts.

PASTOR HONORED

RECEPTION TO REV. FRANCIS HOWARD ROSE

A reception to Francis Howard Rose, who is acting pastor of the Immanuel Baptist church, was held in the vestry of the church last night. More than 100 members of the church were present and the evening passed off very pleasantly. In the receiving party, besides Mr. Rose, were Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Lawson and Mr. and Mrs. Mark A. Murphy. The ushers were Harold Rose, John Pauly and Thomas Blades. Later in the evening refreshments were served and an informal program given, which included an address by Mr. Rose and piano selections by Mrs. Murphy.

COTTON SUPPLY LESS

MANCHESTER, England, April 5.—The half yearly report of the International Cotton Federation states that the visible supply of cotton is a million bales less than in March, 1909. This fact, however, it is pointed out, need not cause alarm, because of the "short time" in operation, and because the tendency in most countries is to spin finer counts, thus using less cotton, while at the end of last season there was a large surplus supply.

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IF IT DISAPPEARS, IT'S ECZEMA

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Sometimes it is hard to determine whether a skin affection is a sign of a blood disorder or simply a form of eczema. Even physicians are often puzzled in their diagnosis. The best way for anyone afflicted is to go to Falls & Burkinshaw's, Carter & Sherburne's, or any good druggist who handles pure drugs, and obtain 50 cents worth of poslam. Apply this, and if the itching stops at once and the trouble is cured in a few days it may be set down as having been eczema, as this is the way poslam acts in the worst cases of eczema, and in curing acne, herpes, blotches, tetter, piles, salt rheum, rash, barber's and other forms of itch, scaly scalp, and all surface skin affections.

Anyone who will write to the Emergency Laboratories, No. 32 West Twenty-fifth street, New York, can secure by mail free of charge, a supply sufficient to cure a small eczema surface or clear a complexion overnight and remove pimples in twenty-four hours.

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AGE OF HORSE

How to Determine It is Explained

(Continued from last Tuesday)

The central nippers are considerably worn and the next pair are beginning to show the mark of age. The tush has now protruded and is fully half an inch in height, and has a rounded prominence with grooves on the inside. At five years the horse's mouth is almost perfect. At six years the mark on the two central nippers is entirely worn out, and on the next pair the mark is shorter, broader and fainter, and on the corner pair the edges of the enamel are more regular, the surface is a little rubbed or worn but only on the exterior edge. The tush has attained its full growth, projects outward, concave within, growing to a point, the extremity somewhat curved. At seven years the mark is not only worn out from the two central nippers and consequently on the two next, but is fast wearing away on the two corner teeth. The tush also begins to show change. The point and edges are rounded but at eight years the tush is rounded in every way. The mark has disappeared from all the bottom nippers, and nearly so from the top. All the teeth are worn, but the central one is still large and retains some of its blackness. There is nothing remaining on the bottom nippers that can show the age of the horse at all reliable. The upper nippers may give indications but nothing certain.

After the age of eight years there are no points that will determine the age with accuracy. The horse that is fed on corn will appear older than the one that is fed on oats and soft food. At nine years the nippers show a most rounded appearance. Little remains of the dental bone, but begins to show the dental star. At ten years the same change on the middle ones. At eleven the same change on the corner ones. At twelve the corner teeth are round and the dental bone very apparent throughout. At thirteen there is a total disappearance of the interior enamel. From fourteen to seventeen they assume a triangular form. The central ones at fourteen and the middle ones at fifteen and the corner ones at sixteen. At eighteen this triangular shape grows longer, and becomes radically contracted.

At six years the teeth are short and flat, gums extending across them full and nearly straight; passing eight the gums recede or shrink away from the teeth making them appear longer; at ten this is very noticeable; while passing twelve the gum shows almost a pointed contact with the center of the teeth; at eighteen to nineteen the gums are drawn back much sharper, leaving the teeth longer and narrower in appearance.

With increased age, deep hollows above the eyes will appear and the lower lip hang down perceptibly. Sometimes teeth are "bishoped," cut down by saw or file, or cutting machines, to deceive as to the age of a horse, quite old horses being made to appear eight to nine. In trading or buying, one should exercise care in the study of the animal's age.

The teeth of the horse require frequent attention. Shorten with the rasp the lower incisors and the corners of the upper molars, and inner side of lower teeth to keep your horse in good feeding condition.

Dr. A. C. Daniels

(Another of Dr. Daniels' articles next Tuesday.)

THE OPTOMETRY BILL

Editor Sun:

Recent communications in the press, by physicians in opposition to the proposed legislation regulating the practice of optometry, are misleading in the statements, that this practice is an infringement on the practice of medicine and that the proposed legislation is a "vicious attempt to lower medical standards." The Massachusetts Optical society are the petitioners; they seek to regulate the practice of optometry by establishing a board of examiners and registration. While they cannot legislate anyone out of business, they seek to establish by law a higher standard of proficiency, by exacting educational and practical tests of those who in future take up the science of optics, thereby making optometry a profession apart from the practice of medicine.

The opposition to this legislation by the physicians was expected, as it has been general in every state where the same legislation has been enacted. The physicians, therefore, stand as opponents to higher education and proficiency and prefer to continue the present evils of peddlers and fakirs who are not amenable to any law. The open question between oculists and opticians is whether the practice of optometry is a medical or mechanical science. The opticians of 24 states that have similar laws as those proposed have convinced their respective state legislature and governors that optometry is a mechanical science and in no way medical; that it is a treatment of light and has no medicinal value. The physicians in every state have been in opposition and have lost.

The same question and opposition arose between the dentists and the medical profession when legislation for the regulation of dentistry was proposed. The opticians seek to place their practice on the same plane and in the same relation to the medical profession as dentistry now is. The bill now before the legislature has been reported upon favorably by the committee on public health and it is the sincere hope of every capable and honest optician that it will be enacted.

John J. Cluin.

GENERAL STRIKE

HAS BEEN DECLARED BY THE NAVAL RESERVISTS

MARSEILLES, April 5.—The trouble between the naval reservists and the steamship companies over the employment on the liners of Arabs or other natives who are not French subjects, culminated last night in the declaration of a general strike and the tieing of several steamships. The men demand the dismissal of all natives and the release of 18 comrades of the steamer Mouloya who were arrested on the charge of desertion because they refused to sail unless the natives aboard the vessel were landed.

The government has taken a firm attitude, and Premier Briand has announced his determination to maintain discipline in the merchant marine at all costs. Arrangements are being made to assure mail and passenger service by means of warships.

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LICENSE ISSUE

Big Question in Town Elections

BOSTON, April 5.—In five towns yesterday pluralities on the license question were reversed by the April town elections. Spencer was the largest town to "flop," changing from wet to dry for the first time in 30 years, by a vote of 748 no, to 622 yes. Last year the license advocates had a plurality of 25. Charlton and Shutesbury, also changed to the dry column. Against these gains by the "no" forces may be set the loss of Oxford and North Brookfield, the latter of which went for license for the first time in its history, changing a plurality of 15 for no, into one of 40 for yes. The most complete overturn, however, was at Shutesbury, where a total of 30 votes, with a plurality of 20 for no license, was turned into a plurality of seven for license out of a total of 59.

TOWN OFFICIAL REBUKED

BOSTON, April 5.—The voters of Southbridge who hold the centre of interest in the elections in many Massachusetts towns yesterday, seized their opportunity to rebuke the town officials in charge at the time of the exposure of John A. Hall's alleged $425,000 embezzlement from the Southbridge Savings bank, in which town funds were involved, by sending them down to defeat at the polls yesterday and changing the administration from republican to democratic. The French vote was particularly effective, and as a result each of the three members of the board of selectmen is of French descent, a situation said to be unique in Massachusetts in a town as large as Southbridge.

Joseph G. E. Page, republican, was the only member of the board re-elected. He will have as associates Alexander Boyer, Jr. and J. Anatole Caron, both democrats.

Edward Desrosier, republican town treasurer, lost his fight for re-election, Solomon E. Blanchard, democrat, winning the office. Desrosier succeeded Hall in his office of town treasurer, which Hall held while also treasurer of the bank. Some of Hall's illegal operations are said to have involved the use of town notes for large sums.

James K. Egan, chairman of the sewer commissioners and a democrat, was badly defeated by H. U. Ball, republican. Hall's connection with the funds of the sewer department has been look upon with suspicion. Laxity in the department's system of accounting was charged against Egan in the campaign.

TAXI DRIVERS

IN CHICAGO WENT OUT ON STRIKE

CHICAGO, April 5.—Two hundred drivers of taxicabs struck last night just before theatre time. Horse cabs were hurried from stables where it was supposed they had been forever abandoned and soon the down town quarter was filled with old vehicles.

It was announced that 300 day chauffeurs would quit work today. The strike was called because of the refusal of the employers to recognize the union. The men asked merely for a continuance of last year's scale.

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The "aviation night" brought out a distinguished company of scientists at the City club where the dinner was held last night. Henry Howard, the prominent yachtsman, was toastmaster.

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RAILROAD'S RIGHTS

Are Upheld by Decision of the Supreme Court

WASHINGTON, April 5.—Emphasizing the rights of railroads, the supreme court of the United States yesterday declared unconstitutional the law of Nebraska requiring railroads to build switches to all grain elevators along their tracks, upon request, and called a halt in the attempt of the state of Arkansas to penalize an interstate railroad for failure to supply cars enough to accommodate interstate traffic.

In announcing the decision of the court in the Nebraska case, Justice Holmes asserted that although the state had certain police powers and that railroads must fulfil the purposes for which their charters were granted, yet "railroads, like other owners of property have rights that are protected by the constitution."

Among other decisions, the court held that the business of a correspondence school with pupils in various states, is interstate commerce, and upheld the act of Arkansas prohibiting canvassing for business by physicians and hotel keepers on trains in that state.

An odd thing about the sitting was the announcement as the decision of the court of an opinion written by the late Justice Brewer.

The court, upon resuming session, gave no direct intimation as to its probable course on reargument of the Standard oil and tobacco trust cases, but having divided four to four on the 28-hour live stock law on the question raised in the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern case, reargument was ordered for August.

The court postponed for 10 days consideration of the inheritance tax case set for argument as of yesterday. This action was taken because of the enforced absence of Solicitor General Bowers, who left yesterday for St. Paul to attend the funeral of his father-in-law, Judge Thomas Wilson.

The city of Los Angeles is given the paramount right, as far as the Los Angeles farming and milling company is concerned, to take and use all the waters of the Los Angeles river by a decision announced yesterday.

The court yesterday decided the case of the Southwestern Oil company vs. the state of Texas in favor of the state, thus upholding the constitutionality of the Texas state law, known as the Kennedy tax law, which fixes a tax of 2 per cent. on the gross receipts from the sale of oil, naphtha, etc. In announcing the opinion of the court Justice Harland held a classification of wholesale dealers, as distinct from retail dealers for purposes of taxation, was a proper exercise of power possessed by the state.

The court affirmed the decree of the federal court of Hawaii sentencing John Wynne to be hanged on a charge of having murdered Archibald F. McKinnon.

FUNERALS

DONOVAN—The funeral of Dennis Donovan, who was killed at Sauk Rapids, Minn., a week ago, was held yesterday afternoon from the rooms of Undertakers C. H. Molloy & Sons. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery, where Rev. Fr. Callahan read the committal prayers. Undertakers C. H. Molloy & Sons had charge. The bearers were Patrick Kelley, Dennis O'Neil, Mathew Sheridan, Joseph Mingle, Archie and John Kelley.

PIERCE—The funeral of Warren K. Pierce was held yesterday afternoon from the home of his mother, Mrs. Edith Pierce, 36 Puffer street and burial was in the Edson cemetery. Rev. J. P. West was the officiating clergyman and there was singing by Miss Lucille Washburn and Miss Eva Large. Undertaker C. M. Young had charge of the burial.

SPLAINE—The funeral of the late John H. Splaine was held Sunday afternoon at St. Catherine's church, Forge Village, Rev. Edmund T. Schofield officiating. A large gathering of relatives and friends attended the services.

The casket was hidden amid a wealth of beautiful flowers. A large delegation of Court Ayer, No. 48, Foresters of America of which deceased was a member attended the services. The bearers were Francis Lowther and John L. Flynn of Forge Village, Eugene Simpson of Boston, Jas. Ellmore of Ayer. Among out-of-town people who attended were Mrs. John Ledger, Mr. and Mrs. M. McGovern, Peter Hanley, Miss Margaret Hyer, Mr. S. Campbell, W. W. Murphy, all of Lowell; Miss Helen McGovern, Ayer; Julius Brumuller, Malden; Mr. and Mrs. George Rose, William Rose, Lewis E. Rose of Cambridge; Charles Rose, Somerville; Mrs. Nellie Prince, Mrs. James Hackett, Mr. Stephen and Miss Nellie Ward of North Chelmsford; Daniel Sullivan, Lincoln Towle, Boston; Mr. and Mrs. John J. Hanley, Marlboro; Hugh Daly, Miss Emma Duford and Mrs. Edward Sheean of Leominster; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Riney, Lowell.

Burial was in the family lot in St. Catherine's cemetery, Graniteville, Undertaker J. A. Healey had charge of the funeral.

A requiem high mass was celebrated at St. Catherine's church, this morning at 8 o'clock, for the repose of his soul.

ADAMS—The burial of the late Miss Grace P. Adams of Chelmsford took place Sunday afternoon in the family lot in Forefathers' cemetery, Chelmsford Centre, where the committal service was conducted by Rev. T. C. H. Bouton of the Central Congregational church, who also read a poem, "The Christian's Good Night." Arrangements were in charge of Superintendent Roland Parkhurst and the bearers were Harry B. Flemings, George K. Mackenzie, Will Roper and John H. Wilson.

O'TOOLE—The funeral of the late Edward O'Toole took place this morning at 9 o'clock from his home, Sheldon street, North Billerica, and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends including a delegation from the North Billerica Council, R. A. of which deceased was an esteemed member, consisting of John Connolley, Patrick Higgins, Joseph Brown, and William Costello. The cortege proceeded to St. Andrew's church where at 9.30 o'clock a mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Father Foley, O. M. I. The choir, under the direction of Mr. Fairbrother, sang the Gregorian mass, Mr. Fairbrother rendering "Pie Jesu" at the offertory and "De Profundis," at the conclusion. Miss Etta Hoar presided at the organ. Among the many beautiful floral tributes were a large pillow inscribed "Father," from the family; cross on base from the North Billerica council, R. A.; spray, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Kohlrausch; spray, Ellen Meaney; wreath, the Craig family; wreath, J. S. Welch; wreath, W. J. Wheatley and family; wreath from a friend, The bearers were Philip Gleason, William Wheatley, Maurice McElligott, John O'Brien, Elias Hannon, Timothy McCarthy. At the grave Rev. Father Foley read the committal prayers and the burial was in the Catholic cemetery in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

JOYCE—The funeral of the late Rosetta R. Joyce took place this morning at 8.40 o'clock from the funeral parlors of James W. McKenna, 419 Bridge street, and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to the Immaculate Conception church, where at 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Dennis Sullivan, O. M. I. The choir, directed by Mr. Chas. P. Smith, sang the Gregorian mass. Mrs. Hugh Walker presided at the organ. As the remains were borne from the church the choir chanted "De Profundis." The floral offerings consisted of a wreath of roses and lilies with ribbon inscribed "Sister," from sister of the deceased; standing wreath of roses, ferns and lilies, from Room 17, Selisia Worsted mills of No. Chelmsford; and a spray of roses and carnations from the Wilson family. The bearers were Messrs. Edward Cox, James Burke, Reno Dennault and Samuel Forsythe. Interment was in the family lot in the Catholic cemetery, where the last sad rites of the Catholic church were read by Rev. Fr. Sullivan. Funeral Director James W. McKenna in charge.

DEATHS

BROWN—Mrs. Elizabeth Brown, aged 33 years, died today at her late home, 42 Plummer avenue. The deceased was a popular young woman of the Immaculate Conception parish and was well known throughout the city. She leaves to mourn her loss a husband, James Brown, and two sons, James and William; two sisters, Miss Mary Bannon and Mrs. Edward Herbert of Waltham. Funeral notice later.

KEEGAN—Catherine Keegan, widow of the late Peter Keegan, died last evening at her home, 3 rear of 218 Adams street. The deceased had been a devout attendant at St. Patrick's church for the past 27 years. She leaves to mourn her loss, three daughters, Mrs. Mary Judge of Lawrence; Mrs. Alice Buzzell and Mrs. Winifred Crosby, of this city, and one son, J. S. Keegan of the U. S. army, now stationed at Fort Warren. She also leaves a granddaughter, Miss Mary Tower of this city and several other grandchildren. Lawrence papers please copy.

O'NEIL—George O'Neil, aged 78 years, died this morning at his residence, 46 Suffolk street. He leaves to survive him one daughter, Miss Sarah O'Neil. The deceased was a brother of the late Hugh O'Neil whose interment took place last week.

DESMARAIS—Albert T. Desmarais, aged 16 years, died today at 844 Lakeview avenue. He is survived by his parents, Adeos and Mary Desmarais; two brothers, Philip and John and one sister, Mildred. Owing to the nature of the disease the funeral was held this afternoon at 4 o'clock. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery under the direction of Peter Savage, undertaker.

DALY—The funeral of Martin J. Daly took place this morning from the home of his parents, 3 rear of 91 Dummer street. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery in charge of Undertaker Peter H. Savage.

Shawlights, O. U. A. M., tonight.

STAR THEATRE

A talking picture, "The Honor of His Family," by the Biograph company is a special feature of the show at the Star theatre. The large and capable company of actors makes the picture most realistic. There are two high class vaudeville specialties. The Textile school illustrated song, "What's the Matter With Father" is a scream. It is "the biggest and best show in Lowell" and the admission of five cents includes a seat.

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CAPTAIN GEORGE P. DILLON, ONE OF THE OLD SOLDIER FIDDLERS

HATHAWAY THEATRE

There's a bang up good bill at Hathaway's theatre this week and "The Old Soldier Fiddlers" are the big feature. Kinder gives one a funny feeling in the heart region when the veterans of the gray and the blue stand side by side and round out the old tunes. Any of us who attended country dances years ago and swung partners in the plain quadrille, danced to the very tunes that the old soldiers play at Hathaway's. "Money Musk" is old and beautiful when it comes to jig music, and if the fellow sitting next to you at Hathaway's last night tramped on your toes it was probably because he had too much music in his feet. When the blue and the gray got to tickling out those jigs some of the old timers had rush of blood to the feet.

"We don't read any music," said Col. John A. Pattee, the spokesman for the Fiddlers, yesterday. "We simply saw away at the old tunes, and our general average isn't very bad. It's the old tunes we're going to play, the ones that people hummed and whistled before the Civil war."

There were several solos by the members of the quartet. Major Hamersly played the little known "General Lee's March," and Capt. Thomas gave the melodious "Cabin Creek," a dance tune dating back to the '40s of the last century. And Col. Pattee played many of the better known war time pieces. In one of his numbers he was assisted by Capt. Dillon, a real "Johnny Reb," the two giving an imitation of an "orchestra" which is used in the mountains of West Virginia and North Carolina. It was very jolly scraping, and Capt. Dillon became so enthused that he gave the Rebel yell, and then struck into some soft shoe dancing.

The act opened with the Northerners running into the "Rebs" for a good time, and it ended with the four men saluting with their bows a mammoth silken American flag, while the "Star Spangled Banner" was played by the orchestra.

The four old soldiers saw active service, and three of them were wounded during the war. Col. John A. Pattee, the leader of the quartet, is nearly 66 years of age. He was born in Wayne county, Michigan, and enlisted in Company K, 24th Michigan Infantry, on August 5, 1862. He was later detached and became a member of Battery B, 4th United States Light Artillery. He fought with the Iron Brigade at Gettysburg, and was within a stone's throw of General John B. Reynolds, when the latter was shot from his horse during the first day of the memorable battle. He was wounded at the Weldon railroad, during the Petersburg battle. In April of 1865 he was sent to Springfield, Ill., to do recruiting and was one of those selected to escort the body of President Lincoln to its last resting place. He is a great grandfather. His mother is still living. His home is at Huntington, W. Va.

Capt. John H. Thomas was born in West Virginia, but moved to Ohio when young. He is 66 years of age. He served in the 147th Ohio Infantry and was wounded during a battle near Clarksburg, W. Va. He owns a farm in Ohio.

Capt. George P. Dillon is 67 years of age. He was born in Taswell county, Virginia, and served with the 34th Virginia Cavalry Battalion. He was with Gen. Jubal A. Early during the entire campaign in the Shenandoah valley. He was wounded during this campaign.

Major J. H. Hamersly saw the least service of any of the four members of the quartet. He was born and has always lived near Appomatox court house, Virginia. In the southern states there were many independent military organizations before and during the Civil war, and Major Hamersly, when the two armies focussed at Appomatox at the close of the war, went out with the company of Captain Ford. Major Hamersly is a bachelor.

Thursday night will be known as "Grand Army Night" at the theatre. It is probable that the four fiddlers will be the object of a demonstration. Many members of the three local posts will be in attendance and at the close of the performance the fiddlers will hold a reception.

Harry K. and Jessie Hayward present a very funny little comedy called "Holding Out." The act is filled with the unusual, both as to action and dialog. It's worth the price of admission alone to see the woman fry an egg on an electric flatiron, or to see the pale make coffee in a grease paint box with a tin whistle stuck in a hole as an outlet for the steam.

Selma Braatz, as dainty as anybody seen here this season and brimful of ginger, appeared as the closing act of the bill. Her juggling isn't freakish, but it is done in fine taste and with a show of precision quite uncommon. Very little of it depends upon main strength. Rather is it the result of a very swift moving brain and body. Women jugglers are few and far between, and Fraulein Braatz is easily the best in the east today. The finale to her act while she, dressed in a fetching knickerbocker suit, juggles torches, is remarkably pretty.

Jane Boynton and Dan Burke, the former having appeared earlier this season with the Piano Four, give an attractively arranged musical act.

Harry L. Webb, known as "the man who talks and sings," carried yesterday's audiences with him.

William Ferry, in the spectacular contortion act, "The Lagoon," has a few surprises in the way of contortions.

Newhoff and Phelps have a little skit of talking, singing and dancing, and there are usual motion pictures.

Performances will be given every afternoon and evening during the remainder of the week.

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

One of the best bills so far offered at the Opera House under the present policy of vaudeville and pictures was given yesterday afternoon and evening and for the first three days of the week. Heading the program are the Petching Bros., talented musicians, who offer one of the best novelty musical acts seen of late, entitled "The Garden of Music" in which the stage setting shows a garden of fruit trees and flowers that prove to be musical instruments, an odd conceit well carried out and one that is also praiseworthy from a musical standpoint. Others on the bill are the three Lorellas, exceptionally good comedy acrobats, in a series of rapid stunts that keep the audience well interested. Dorethea Hall, character change artist and clever dancer who finishes her act with a male impersonation that is good, and Herb Webster in new pictorial melodies that catch the crowd. The pictures shown are of the latest prints and include a new Biograph comedy, "The Smoker," a beautiful colored Pathe picture and several others of the newest subjects. The current bill will be given today and Wednesday and Thursday there will be an entire change of program. Tonight is amateur night at the Opera House and the usual big list of amateur talent will be seen. Owing to the length of the program on amateur nights the performance will begin at 6.45 tonight. Prices are five and ten cents; seats free.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

At the Academy, Driscoll McDermaid & Co. are giving a sketch that is a new and novel idea. It is intensely dramatic and is in the hands of three clever actors. It proved a big hit yesterday. The Phillips sisters are a very clever pair of exceptionally pretty young ladies who sing well and dance better and make many changes of handsome wardrobe. Jos. Blott is singing "In the City Where Nobody Cares," and there are new pictures including a Biograph. Admission 5 and 10 cents.



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THEATRE VOYONS

One of the most interesting and popular novels ever written is "Michael Strogoff" and in a dramatic form it has been played many times. Today the Theatre Voyons is showing it in a picture drama and it will be sure to please those who have read the story as well as those to whom it is entirely new. It is capably acted and well staged and little is neglected that would add to its interest.

"The Diary of a Nurse" tells a love story in a novel way and the theme of a nurse and patient's romance is charmingly handled.

"His Last Dollar," is a rarely funny comedy in which a young man is confronted with a big bill for a dinner which he and a lady have eaten and finds he has only a dollar to meet it. Other pictures are included in the bill and two illustrated songs of more than ordinary merit are well sung.

PAYMASTER HELD

Haughey is Put Under Technical Arrest

BOSTON, April 5.—Past Assistant Paymaster Swinton L. Bethea, U. S. N., who has been the assistant paymaster of the flagship Connecticut, reported at the Charlestown navy yard yesterday as the paymaster of the U. S. S. Castine, now at the yard, relieving Assistant Paymaster Lawrence C. Haughey, U. S. N., who has been the pay officer of the Castine and of the submarine flotilla of which it is the "parent" ship.

Assistant Paymaster Haughey was directed to report aboard the receiving ship Wabash for "temporary duty," and immediately upon reporting to Capt. John C. Fremont, U. S. N., commandant of the yard for that duty, he was placed under technical arrest.

A court-martial has been ordered to try Assistant Paymaster Haughey. It will begin its sessions at the Charlestown yard on Thursday. The exact charges, according to the policy of the navy department, are not made public in advance of the convening of the court.

Paymaster Haughey reported the loss of $2800 from his safe last month. The money had been drawn to pay off the crew and the men of the submarines, whose accounts are carried aboard the Castine. After placing the money in his safe on the ship he went ashore and did not return for a day. He reported that he had been taken suddenly ill while visiting Back Bay friends. Upon his return to the ship he had occasion to pay some accounts. He opened the safe and found there was no money in it. He immediately reported the loss.

The safe was intact and the combination had evidently not been tampered with. Subsequently some of the money was found secreted behind a bathtub in the wardroom, the senior officers' general room.

An investigation was ordered by Capt. Fremont, commandant of the yard, and the findings were reported to Washington. No loss, it is understood, falls upon the government.

Capt. Charles E. Fox, U. S. N., commandant at the Charleston, S. C., navy yard, has been named as president of the court. The other members, all of whom are connected with the Charlestown navy yard or ships now there, are Lieut. Commanders John L. Stiteth and Edwin H. Delaney, Paymasters Victor S. Jackson and E. E. Goodhue, Passed Asst. Paymaster Roland W. Shuman, Lieut. Ralston W. Holmes and Asst. Naval Constructor Robert B. Hillard.

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NARROW ESCAPE

Frank Johnson, Aviator, Plunged Into San Francisco Bay

ALAMEDA, Cal., April 5.—Plunging from a height of 80 feet into the waters of San Francisco bay, Frank Johnson, an aviator riding the Curtiss biplane, was nearly drowned yesterday a mile off shore.

For several minutes it seemed that the aviator was lost and his mother and wife who witnessed the accident fainted. After the machine settled in the bay Johnson could be seen by several hundred spectators swimming toward shallow water. Two men in a skiff rescued him. The machine was recovered and towed ashore.

Johnson explained that one of the planes failed to respond as he was about to make a sharp turn. The accident occurred while he was making the twelfth flight of the afternoon before a large crowd.

PUBLIC HALL BOARD

Successor to Mr. Ellingwood to be Chosen Tonight

Because of his removal from Lowell, Mr. Edward Ellingwood, has resigned from the Public Hall commission, and Mayor Meehan has called a special meeting of the common council for this evening in order that the position made vacant by Mr. Ellingwood's resignation may be filled without delay. The board of aldermen will hold a regular meeting this evening.

The naming of a successor to Mr. Ellingwood is up to the chairman of the board of aldermen and the president of the common council. Mayor Meehan hopes that these two gentlemen will name Mr. A. G. Swapp. "I feel that Mr. Swapp is public spirited enough not to refuse to serve if appointed and I know that his presence on the commission would serve to facilitate matters in the building of a new hall."

Mr. Ellingwood's letter to the mayor reads as follows:

Hon. John F. Meehan,
Mayor's Office,
City Hall, Lowell, Mass.

Dear Sir:—Owing to my change of residence to another city I shall not be eligible as a member of the public hall commission, and I hereby tender my resignation, to take effect at once.

Very truly yours,
Edward Ellingwood.

Mayor to City Council

Believing that the present board of charities ought not to be held responsible for the bill owed the Massachusetts School for Feeble Minded and amounting to more than $4000, because the bill was contracted by former boards, the mayor has addressed the following communication to the city council:

Lowell, April 5, 1910.

To the City Council of the City of Lowell.

Gentlemen:—

Enclosed find statement from the Massachusetts School for Feeble Minded. This bill covers a period from June 30, 1905, to November 30, 1908.

As this bill was contracted during an interval of time over which the present board of charities had no control, I believe that in all fairness and justice this bill should not be paid out of their appropriation.

I feel that it is the duty of your honorable body to make a special appropriation covering the payment of same.

Respectfully yours,
John F. Meehan, Mayor.

Sherman Reappointed

Mayor Meehan has appointed Walter A. Sherman inspector of animals for Lowell. This is a re-appointment for Mr. Sherman and it was filed at the office of the city clerk this forenoon.

Moth Appropriation

State Forester Raney has communicated with Mayor Meehan by telephone as well as by letter asking the chief executive to use his best influence in securing a $4000 moth appropriation.

Marriage Intentions

April 5—Jackson Clifford White, 21, wood worker, 148 Cushing street and Aldea Boisvert, 17, laundress, same address.

John Battles, 29, locomotive fireman, Allston, Mass., and Maria McGrath, 33, machine operator, 132 Tilden street.

FLOUNDER CLUB

HAD AN ENJOYABLE SUNDAY AT SAUGUS WITH PRESIDENT

The members of the Flounder club, a social organization that flounders in the vicinity of Liberty square, visited the home of their president, Charles E. Wheaton at East Saugus, Sunday and enjoyed one of Mrs. Wheaton's delightful dinners. The day was spent in a most enjoyable manner. There were songs by William P. Moran, Thomas Barry and recitations by Frank Flanagan who made a hit with his rendition of "On the Water Wagon;" Edward F. Brady sang "My Irene is a Village Queen;" James Bowers sang "The Songs My Mother Used to Sing," "Hokie Get Up," and "Listen to the Mill Bells Ring." Timothy Reagan recited "The Village Blacksmith" with anvil accompaniment and Cornelius Donahue tore off a few songs. The party returned early in the evening after a most enjoyable day.

Worms

Hundreds of children and adults have worms, but are treated for other diseases. The symptoms are—indigestion, foul tongue, offensive breath, sense of fullness, eyes dull and heavy, itching of the nose, grinding of the teeth, slow fever and often, in children, convulsions.

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INCONSISTENT.

When she refused to marry me
She promised she would be my sister.
Yet she was mad as mad could be
When, with fraternal haste, I kissed her.



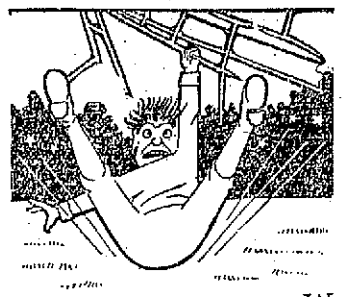
HIS PREFERENCE.

From the temperance headquarters came the strains of "Water, Pure Water, Is the Drink For Me."

"That's right," said Weary Walker, "but as long as water has dem bacilluses an' t'ings in it I t'ink I'll stick ter de old booze."

MAKING A MAN OF HIMSELF.





AN OLD SAYING.

"This," said the aeronaut as his machine fell, "is what I should call running a good thing into the ground."



PAID FOR HIS JOKE.

"Why are Tacker and Guppy at outs?"

"They were at church. Guppy dropped a silver dollar down the back of Tacker's neck as a joke, and Tacker walked out of church with the dollar."



A JOB FINISHED.

Mrs. Bingo—Willie, you horrid boy, you promised me you wouldn't fight any more.

Willie—I won't any more, ma. This was the only kid in the neighborhood I hadn't licked.



THE DESIRED RESULT.

"I'll teach you how to lie to me," said the angry father as he applied the strap.

And he did. After three more lessons his son could lie easily without being found out.



AFTER THE TREACLE MOON.

She—When you married me you said you were well off.

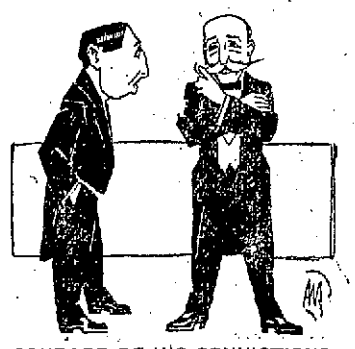
He—I was, but I didn't know it.



THE SPORTING BARBER.

"Ouch! That's the second time you've cut me."

"Never mind, sir. You'll win 2 cents anyway. I deduct a cent every time I cut a customer. Some of them go out without paying me anything."

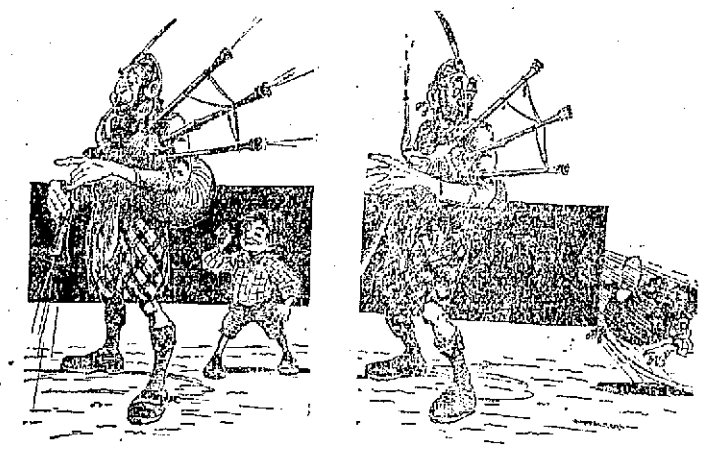


COURAGE OF HIS CONVICTIONS.

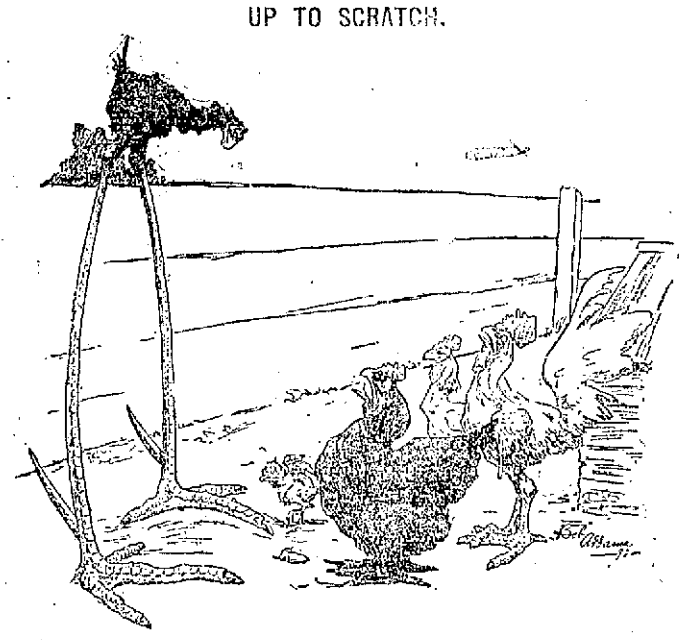
"Marriage has a civilizing effect on a man. If not, why is it that an old bachelor is so apt to be cross and crusty?"

"Because," replied the sage, "an old bachelor is not afraid to say what he means."

THE BOY, THE PIN AND THE PIPER.



UP TO SCRATCH.



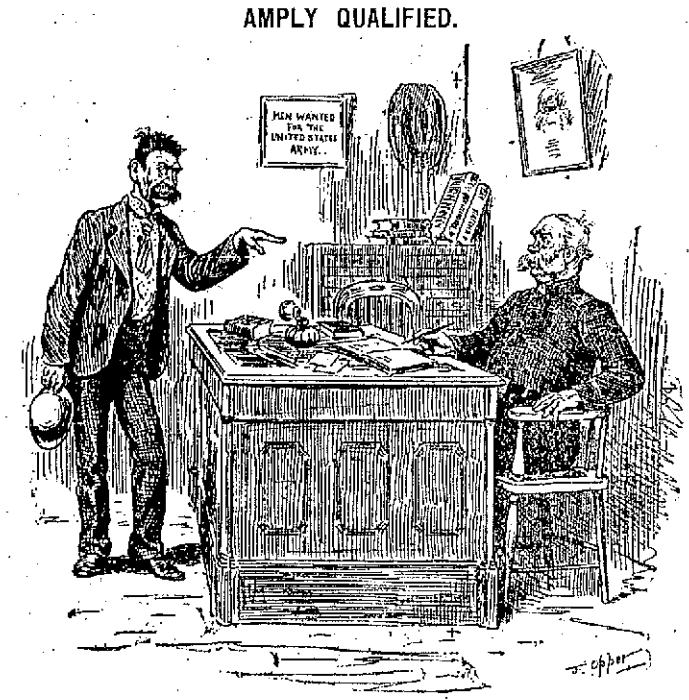
"My child! My child! What has happened to you?"
"Why, mother, I stepped in the photographer's developer."

TOO MUCH TAB.



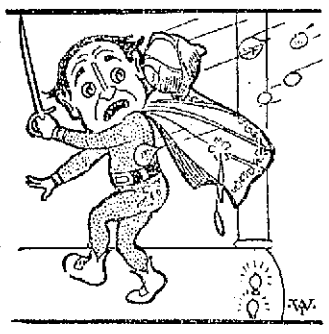
"You love another, Jack?"
"How can you talk that way, dearest? I've kissed you thirty times in the last two minutes."
"But if you loved me you wouldn't keep count."

AMPLY QUALIFIED.



Recruiting Officer: "I'm afraid you are not heavy enough for a cavalryman. We want men who can ride right over everything if necessary."

Applicant: "That's all right, cap. I've been a New York truck driver for seven years!"



ILLUSTRATED SAYING.

"Stagestruck."



HUMBUG FIRED.

"I see by the paper they expelled Deacon Bug for humming in church."

MEANT TO BE COMFORTING.

Doctor—My dear madam, you can quite put the thought out of your head that you will be buried alive. Under my treatment that would be impossible!



THE ONE THAT MADE A HIT.

First Gamin—Wot's yer prime fav'rit play?

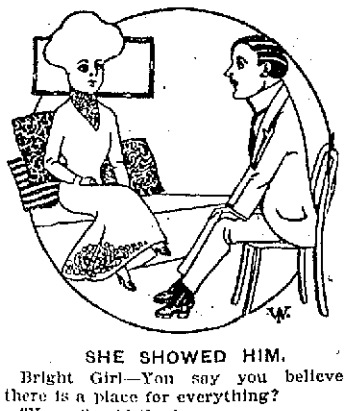
Second Ditto—Playin' hookey.



LIKEWISE PARTICULAR.

Police Sergeant—Matilda, I guess you can go, but don't let me see you here again.

"'Deed you won't, honey. I don't git in no bad company mosh dan onct."

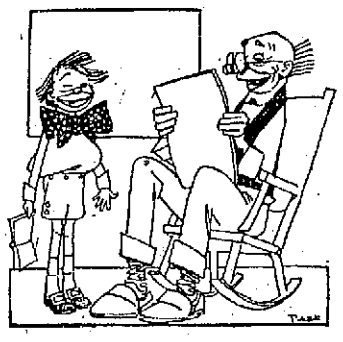


SHE SHOWED HIM.

Bright Girl—You say you believe there is a place for everything?

"Y-a-s," said the bore.

"Then why don't you go home?"



OF COURSE.

Willie—This magazine states that there are so many seasoned duellists over in Germany. What is a "seasoned duellist?"

His Pa—One that has been well peppered, my son.



PREPARED.

Miss Landseer—How did you feel when you found that the ship would surely go down in ten minutes?

Mr. Maidemere—I didn't care. I had given up all before that.



IT DEPENDS.

"Is it ladylike for a woman to ride horseback alone in the park?"

"Yes, unless she insists on riding like a gentleman."

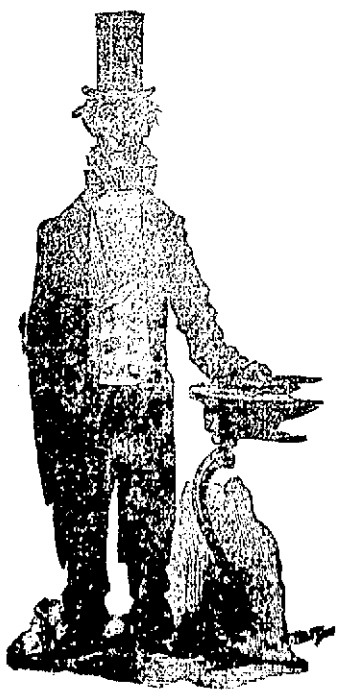


MODERN VERSION OF "GIT!"

Oldster—There's no reverence for age nowadays.

Youngster—Why do you think so?

Oldster—I stood on the corner a moment and an impudent lad said to me, "Aviate along, grandpa; you're blocking the street."



"HIS LONG SUIT."

THE MUSTACHE AS A DISGUISE.



Sleuth, the able detective, with the assistance of his long mustaches, presents the following disguises:



A waxed horizontal twist makes him Herr von Bims of the embassy.



In grizzly form he is Civamentojecoff, the sympathizer in nihilistic movements.



In this form we may seek in him innocent Mr. Smith of Kansas City.



Working among the banana venders he is Napoli Milano.



The lower twist makes him the colonel with a Gettysburg reminiscence.



The upper twist shows Sleuth as the Rev. Dr. Strict.



And with a mouth full just plain Hans Sachs.

THE PARK BOARD

Heard Complaint of Property Holders

Property owners in the vicinity of the North common are complaining of damage to their property because of sports. Complaints were read at the regular meeting of the park commission held last night.

Joseph Fay was the principal complainant and he said that a great many windows in his buildings were broken by foul tips in baseball games. He asked relief from the park commission. It was agreed that the diamond should be relaid.

President R. A. Griffiths and Messrs. Percy Burleigh and John Giblin of the Musicians union appeared to ask that the band stand on the South common be torn down and a new one built in the centre of the pond, where the music could be heard to best advantage. The present structure is "on its last legs," according to Mr. Griffiths, and Supt. Whittet agreed with him. The estimated cost of the new band stand was about $1000. It was suggested that the matter be brought before the committee on appropriations, as the park department had no appropriation to meet the request of the musicians.

Monthly bills were approved.

15TH ANNIVERSARY

OF ORGANIZATION OF EMPIRE COLONY, PILGRIM FATHERS.

The 15th anniversary of the organization of Empire colony of the Pilgrim Fathers was observed last night in Pilgrim hall by an entertainment and supper. The attendance was very large, almost every member of the colony being present. There was also a number of invited guests from the other colonies. The affair was carefully arranged and carried out in a successful manner.

The entertainment was held during the early part of the evening after which an oyster supper was enjoyed. The program presented was as follows: Welcome, Miss Isa Murphy; piano solo, Miss Mildred Merrill Hopkins; song, Miss Alice Stearns; remarks, Supreme Trustee James A. Burns of Boston; reading, Miss Jessie Hodge; piano solo, Miss Florence Lees; song, Robert J. Fullerton of Garfield colony; remarks, Frank McAnaly of Lawrence; song, Miss Mildred Locke; piano solo, Miss Lees; remarks, Supreme Sergeant-at-Arms P. J. Lane of Boston; remarks, E. P. White of Lawrence.

The committee in charge of the affair was: Miss Isa Murphy, chairman; Mrs. Maria Lairdieson, Miss Rose Cote, Miss Minnie Lamphrey, Miss Annie Hardy.

MATRIMONIAL

The marriage of Mr. Angelo Tousignant, of the firm of Tousignant Bros., and Miss Regina Desharnais took place yesterday morning at St. Jean Baptiste church, at a mass celebrated by Rev. Fr. Wateile, O. M. I. The bride wore pale blue silk and carried bride roses. She was attended by her brother, Mr. Henri Desharnais, and the bridegroom, by his brother, Mr. Amedee Tousignant.

After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alphee Tousignant, 85 Austin street. The occasion was a very happy one, for Mr. Alphee Tousignant is not only a brother of the bridegroom, but his wife, who was a Miss Deschanais, is a sister of the bride. The guests included the near relatives on both sides, among them Mr. and Mrs. Leude Tousignant of Fitchburg.

After the breakfast, Mr. and Mrs. Tousignant left on the 10.39 train for Canada, to be gone four weeks. On their return they will make their home at 39 East Merrimack street.

PERREAULT—DIONNE

Mr. George Perreault, Jr., and Miss Marianna Dionne were married yesterday at St. Louis' church, at a nuptial mass celebrated by Rev. Fr. Jacques. The bride was attended by her father, Mr. Eustache Dionne, and the bridegroom by his father, George Perreault, Sr. A large number of friends of the young people attended the ceremony at the church. After the mass, a wedding breakfast was served at the bridegroom's home, 120 Dalton street, and in the evening a reception took place at the bride's home, 80 Beaulieu street.

BURROUGHS—TOWNSEND

Mr. Loa E. Burroughs, son of Mrs. F. R. Wright, of Westford street, and Miss Elizabeth A. Townsend were married on the afternoon of April 3, by Rev. S. W. Cummings of the First Baptist church, at the latter's residence, 62 Fairmount street. Mr. and Mrs. Burroughs will live in Boston.

GROTON

The annual town meeting was held yesterday, with H. W. Whiting as moderator.

The amount of money appropriated was $39,000. The money will be expended on lighting, schools and incidentals. For the current and general expense of lighting, $2400 was appropriated; $1000 for extension of commercial line at West Groton; $150 for extension to the corner near Nicholas Dinan's. No appropriation for band concerts or Fourth of July.

Selectman, overseers of the poor and assessor for three years, Frank A. Torrey; selectman and assessor for two years to fill the vacancy of J. Ryan, John Sheedy; town clerk, Appleton Torrey; town treasurer, Grant W. Shattuck; town collector, Gardner Rockwood; road commissioner, Burlee Blakney; constables, Jerome Shattuck, John Hines, David Young; tree warden, John Hines; electric light committee, Myron Swallow, George Bixby and Frank Watters; school committee for three years, Herbert D. Priest; license question: No, 181; yes, 80.

Mrs. Maria Coolidge, an elderly lady who lived alone in the David Fosdick house owned by Dr. E. F. Gilson, was fatally burned Saturday forenoon by her clothing taking fire while burning leaves. She lived only a few hours. Dr. Kilbourn was the attending physician.

MAPLE SUGAR SUPPER

The annual maple sugar supper at the Paige Street church took place last night. The syrup was delicious and the fritters, rolls, cake and coffee were all in the good. Mrs. George F. Libby had charge of the supper. She was assisted in the preparation of the supper by Mrs. W. O. Brown, Mrs. Bert Libby, Mrs. Henry McDonald, Mrs. W. E. Hatch, Mrs. D. P. Knowlton, Mrs. M. O. Batchelder, Miss Hattie Blake, Mrs. L. E. Lourien and Mrs. Wm. McKeon.

The following young women served at the tables: Misses Florence Knowlton, Lulu Berry, Esther Saunders, Belle Libby and Blanche Libby.

BOARD OF TRADE

Will Assist Census Enumerators in Work

Sec. McKenna of the board of trade has completed arrangements for the conference with Pres. Tuttle of the Boston & Maine in Boston, Thursday, relative to the betterment of freight transportation. He has asked several business organizations of Boston to co-operate with the Merrimack Valley organizations and a meeting will be held at the Boston City club before the conference.

Thursday evening in Harrington hall, Arthur A. Shurtleff of Boston, the well known authority on municipal building, will give an illustrated lecture on "City Planning." The lecture will be under the auspices of the board of trade and will be illustrated with many fine views.

In response to the offer of aid in compiling the census sent to Charles F. Gettemy, director for this state of the national census, by the Lowell board of trade through its secretary, Mr. McKenna, has received a request from Mr. Gettemy for the use of a room or rooms where the local director may meet the enumerators each evening in groups of from 10 to 20 persons. It is also requested that such quarters be provided with a telephone for the use of the local director.

MISSION OPENED

BY ASSUMPTIONIST FATHERS AT ST. LOUIS' CHURCH

The annual mission at St. Louis' church opened yesterday for married women and will continue four weeks, the second for unmarried women, the third for unmarried men and the closing week for married men.

The mission is being conducted by Rev. Frs. Laity and Hydilpe of the Assumptionist order of Worcester.

The Assumptionist fathers conduct a classical college and theological school at Worcester. The order came from France to this country only a few years ago, but has already acquired prominence in French American educational and missionary fields. The greater number of the fathers teach, but some devote themselves wholly to missionary work. Rev. Frs. Laity and Hydulphe are among these last. Rev. Fr. Hydulphe is well known as an enthusiastic exponent of the Solesmes mode of singing the plain chant, and has lectured in several New England cities on the subject, notably before the Association of French American organists at Lynn.

A LIVELY BLAZE

In a Barn in Burton Street

An alarm from box 315 at 8.32 o'clock last night gave a portion of the fire department a long run to Wigginville, there being a lively blaze in a barn on Burton street, the property of the Wiggin estate.

The barn was a small structure and was nearly destroyed before firemen arrived on the scene, but by quick work the flames were prevented from communicating with other buildings in the vicinity.

Another Barn Fire

Shortly after 11 o'clock an alarm came in from box 76 for a slight blaze in a barn in Sixth avenue belonging to Vital Roberts. The flames were discovered in a wagon in the rear by the patrolman and by the time the apparatus arrived the fire was extinguished. The damage was slight. F. C. Church had the insurance.

LETTER CARRIERS

PLAN FOR BIG REUNION ON APRIL 13.

The letter carriers held a well attended meeting last evening and completed arrangements for the grand reunion to be held in Associate hall on Wednesday evening, April 13. Chairman of the reception committee, Geo. L. Adams, stated that invitations have been sent to many congressmen, also the mayor and all the local officials of the Lowell postoffice, as well as all the officers of the National Association of Letter Carriers, and nothing which would add to the comfort of the guests will be overlooked. Albert E. Willis, chairman of the decoration committee, stated that Associate hall will be a bower of beauty on this evening with potted plants and bunting of red, white and blue. He has engaged an expert decorator to do this work.

John F. Roune, chairman of the concert committee, reported a very good musical program from 8 till 9 o'clock which will be worth going miles to hear. He and David P. Martin have found among the letter carriers some very fine singers who will make their initial bow before the public this evening and will without doubt make a decided hit.

William J. Lane, chairman of the music committee, reported that Hibbard's full orchestra has been engaged to furnish music for dancing until one o'clock a. m. The Hon. Joe himself will direct the orchestra and has cancelled many engagements to be present. He promises a rare musical treat.

Joseph D. McOsker, chairman of the uniform committee, stated that the entire carrier force have been measured by an up-to-date tailor for new uniforms and the same will be ready to wear on this event.

Treasurer William J. Higgins reported a big demand for tickets. All the carriers have made returns for tickets and are still disposing of some along their respective routes.

President Joseph J. Dillon of the Letter Carriers' association in a few well chosen words outlined the main object of this reunion, which is to have a fund to help any letter carrier who may become unfit for duty through sickness or accident, as Uncle Sam does not pay the letter carriers anything while off duty with sickness or accident.

The following officers were elected for the sick benefit association: Pres. John J. Dillon; vice president, Maurice H. Powers; secretary, Edward J. Lynch; financial secretary and treasurer, William J. Higgins. Auditing committee, Edwin A. Howe, Narcisse A. Gadbois and John P. Sheehan; Sergeant-at-Arms, John F. Lynch.

The following officers were elected for the reunion.

Gen. Manager John J. Dillon; assistant general manager, D. Joseph Donovan; floor director, Maurice H. Powers; assistant floor directors, John T. Burns and T. Joseph Sullivan; chief aids, John P. Sheehan, Albert E. Willis and Simon J. Kelley, chairman of reception committee, George L. Adams. Printing committee, George S. Howard, chairman; hall committee, Albert E. Willis, chairman; refreshment committee, John P. Sheehan, chairman. Concert committee, John F. Roane, chairman; press committee, Charles A. Carey, chairman; badge committee, William H. Whitston, chairman; transportation committee, James W. McGuire, chairman. The meeting closed by all singing: "It Looks to Me Like a Big Night Tonight."

TOWN MEETING

Selectman Butterfield of Tyngsboro Defeated

The annual meeting and election of officers of the town of Tyngsboro was held yesterday and the surprise of the day was the defeat of Selectman Jesse B. Butterfield for re-election by Frank G. W. McKittrick by five votes. Mr. Butterfield was defeated for the office of assessor by three votes and he and Mr. McKittrick were tied for the office of overseer of the poor for three years.

The town, as usual, went for no license, and Chester H. Queen was chosen school committeeman by one vote over Francena L. Sherburne.

The meeting was called to order at eight o'clock and the polls were opened at 8.30. Jesse B. Butterfield was chosen moderator and the articles in the warrant were disposed of in quick order.

The following minor town officers were elected:

Field drivers, Perry A. Flint, John F. Chandler, Chester F. K. Bancroft.

Fence viewers: Charles P. Littlehale, Peter Littlehale, A. R. Marshall, Horace Bancroft.

Surveyors of lumber, wood and bark: W. A. Sherburne, C. M. Livermore, Perry A. Flint, J. F. Chandler, George M. Gilson, D. A. Connell, Wesley P. Marshall, Otis L. Wright.

Sealer of leather: James Algeo.

Superintendent of scales: Charles A. Nelson.

Hog reeves: No action taken.

Committee on Memorial day exercises: John W. Bodwell, one year; Martin B. Davis, two years (chosen at previous town meeting;) Rev. N. S. Hoagland, three years. The dog fund will go to the library and $50 was appropriated for a school physician.

The town voted to accept the provisions of chapter 423 of the acts of 1909 relative to the sale of ice cream, etc. on the Lord's day, but also voted to allow the selectmen to act according to their own discretion in the matter.

The treasurer was authorized to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

It was also voted that the fiscal year of the town will end Dec. 31 instead of March 1, as heretofore. Hereafter the annual town meeting will be held on the first Monday in March.

The following appropriations were reported and voted:

For schools, $1350; transportation, $1200; state aid, $175; books and school supplies, $175; Memorial day, $50; cemeteries; $75; tree warden, $50; destruction of elm tree beetle, $50; town counsel, $100; town officers, $500; incidentls, $700; town physician, $50; moth work, $225; Littlefield library, $250; lighting town with electricity, $400; highways, $350.

During the noon recess dinner was served in the lower town hall by the women of the V. I. A.

The results of the balloting were as follows:

Selectman for three years—Jesse B. Butterfield, 44; F. G. W. McKittrick, 49.

Assessor for three years, Butterfield, 45; McKittrick 48.

Overseer of the poor for three years—Butterfield, 46; McKittrick, 46.

Town treasurer—Charles P. Littlehale, 84.

Collector of taxes—William E. Barry, 47; Charles H. Holt, 43.

Auditor—Enlo A. Perham, 86.

Road commissioner, three years—Leon B. Perham, 86.

Constables for one year—Louis T. Braddon, 41; Perry A. Flint, 46; Frederick Sinclair, 80. (Two elected.)

Tree warden—Howard E. Noble, 78.

School committee, three years, Chester H. Queen, 86; Francena L. Sherburne, 85.

Trustees Littlehale public library, three years—Gertrude M. Blanchard, 75; Charles P. Littlehale, 79.

Cemetery commissioner, three years, Otis L. Wright, 77.

LOST AND FOUND

STRING OF GOLD NECK BEADS lost Sunday afternoon between the reservoir and the road to Hood's farm. Reward for return to Brunnelle's pharmacy, 33 East Merrimack st.

LADY'S PURPLE POCKETBOOK lost with initial C in corner. Finder rewarded at Adams Hardware & Paint Co., Middlesex st.

LADY'S OPEN FACED GOLD WATCH lost, between St. Patrick's cemetery and Middlesex st. Reward for return to 637 Broadway.

GOLD PIN about the size of a quarter of a dollar, set with pearls, lost Saturday, either at Pollard's, Palmer st. or to Bon Marche. Reward for return to Sun Office.

STRING OF SOLID GOLD BEADS lost between Fletcher and Middlesex sts. Finder, return to 1 Brooks st. and receive reward.

BUNCH OF KEYS lost on Lawrence st., between Wamesit and Andrews. Finder kindly return to 23 Meadowcroft st.

GARNET ROSARY BEADS, gold linked and gold cross, lost between Parker street and Lincoln school. Return to Old Washington Tavern and receive reward.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

6-ROOM COTTAGE, modern two-tenement house, 8-room house, all modern conveniences, 4 tenement block, all in Centralville, for sale. Call 21 West st.

TWO PART HOUSE of five rooms each for sale, cheap. Good location for renting property. Inquire at 942 Middlesex st.

FARM OF 5 ACRES with buildings, for sale. There are 10 large lots fronting on streets. I will sell by lots or the whole farm. Call and see me. John Keefe, 215 Tenth st.

HOUSE LOTS for sale on Christian Hill, 3c a foot. City water and gas. Inquire at 1128 Bridge st.

For Sale

Nice residence on Varnum ave., all improvements, large barn, large lot of land, lots of fruit. Selling at a bargain.

On Mammoth road, 40 acre farm, good buildings. **Price $2100.**

Good 10-room boarding house, lots of boarders and doing a good business. **Price $500.**

Near Westford and Gates streets, double two tenement house. **Price $4200.**

In Belvidere, good 8-room house with improvements, large lot of land. **Price $2200.**

Near Lowell, good $2000 farm for sale or exchange for city property.

On Varnum ave., good 9-room house, barn and one acre of land. **Price $1600.**

G. L. Hubbard
44 CENTRAL STREET

GRAND LARCENY

Well Known Promoter Found Guilty

NEW YORK, April 5.—Noah B Barnes, promoter, engineer and president of the Cotton Wood Creek Copper company, was found guilty last night of grand larceny. He was accused of appropriating $30,000 of $150,000 of the company's funds obtained by sales of stock to the crown prince of Germany and other German noblemen. Count Von Hochberg, a young German nobleman, who denounced his social position at home to marry a German shop girl whom he brought to this country, acted as his sales agent abroad. Publication of letters from the crown prince to Von Hochberg in which the prince wrote "you have made yourself impossible here; you are lost to us," recently caused international comment.

Barnes took the verdict calmly. He will be sentenced next Thursday.

WANTED

BRUSH OR STUMP LAND wanted to clear by the acre. Address A. B. C., Sun Office.

PAPER NOVELS and good bound books wanted at Merritt's Book Store, 977 Middlesex st.

PUPILS WANTED in shorthand and typewriting; lessons day or evening. A. M. Clark, 137 Shaw st.

HELP WANTED

GIRLS WANTED to learn cutting, fitting, dressmaking, repairing and patterns by Mrs. M. J. Greaves, former principal of Lowell Dress Cutting school, 161 East Merrimack st. Single lessons.

BLACKSMITH WANTED at once. J. L. Fleming, Andover st. Lowell city line. Tel. 243-4.

LOOM FIXER wanted on Northrop looms, $2.25; steady work; also family help for cotton mill. Address Benezet, Box L. F., Sun Office.

CANVASSERS WANTED—Men and women. We have the best selling article on the market, big money. Call evenings, 7 to 9 o'clock, room 6, Howe bldg., Merrimack sq.

WOMAN WANTED to do washing on Mondays. Apply Sun Office.

CARD ROOM HELP, also spinners wanted for D. & F. mules. Apply Beaver Brook Mills, Collinsville.

TWO GOOD MEN wanted for lawn work, grading and sodding. Apply G. F. Cutler, North Chelmsford, Mass.

COOK WANTED (man), to do plain cooking. Address H. I., Sun Office.

FARMER WANTED, one who understands milking. Address M. X., Sun Office.

BAKER WANTED, one with home in view more than wages. Address U. W., Sun Office.

BOY WANTED, 17 or 18 years old, to work in grocery store. Must be honest and willing to work. Apply at 270 High st.

MEN WANTED for firemen and brakemen on nearby railroads. Experience unnecessary; good vision; age 20-30; $75 to $100 monthly. No strike; permanent employment. Promotion; 400 men being sent to positions monthly. State age, weight, height; send stamp. Railway Association, care Sun Office.

PAPER HANGER and painter wanted. Apply 347 Plain st.

MAN WANTED to take care of horses, do driving and other work. Address Driver, Sun Office.

SHOEMAKERS WANTED—None but first class workmen need apply. O'Sullivan Bros., opp. city hall, Merrimack street.

GIRL WANTED for office work, with some knowledge of typewriting. State experience and wages wanted. Address A. A., Sun Office.

YOUNG MAN wanted who lives in Lowell, who holds a fireman's license, or is capable of getting one. Must expect to work around in room. If you are a hooper don't waste your time answering this ad. To a man who is honest and willing to work, will be offered a position that will be steady and will be paid good wages. Protestant preferred. Address B. U. S., Sun Office.

WE POSITIVELY have the fastest selling household patent on the market. Wolvereen Co., Pittsburgh, Pa.

HOUSE GIRL wanted. Apply 1 Dutton st.

LADIES WANTED to call and see a beautiful line of wash dress goods. N. M. Whitten, Wyman's Exchange.

WOMEN WANTED to sew beads on shoes; home work. Apply to Lowell Beading Co., 13 Ralph st.

MEN WANTED for railway mail, internal revenue, post office examinations. Write for Lowell examination schedule. Preparation free. Franklin Institute, Dept. 143 N., Rochester, N. Y.

RESIDENT AGENT to introduce to automobile men an article that will sell on sight; $50 a week easily earned. G. A. Cutting, South Paris, Me.

WANTED

Young man for rug and drapery dept. Apply to Mr. MacKenzie, 4th floor, Nelson's Dept. Store.



NOTICE TO ABUTTERS

Office of Superintendent of Streets, Lowell, Mass., March 29, 1910.

The city is about to pave the following streets:

Merrimack street, from B. & M. R. R. tracks at Dutton street to west side of Tilden street.

Prescott street, from Merrimack square to Central street.

Middlesex and Branch streets, from east side of Howard street to west side of Nichols street.

Gorham street, from Middlesex street to south side of Appleton street.

Appleton street, from Gorham street to Central street.

Central street, from south side of Appleton street to Tower's Corner.

Howe street, from East Merrimack street to south side of Davidson street.

Perry street, from Andover street to land of American Safety Tread Co.

In consequence of which it is desirable that all persons who contemplate digging up the streets mentioned above for the purpose of making sewer, gas or water connections, or for any other purpose whatsoever, do so at once, as under the provisions of the city ordinances no permit will be given to any person to disturb the surface of said streets for a period of five years after said improvements are completed, except as otherwise provided in the ordinances.

NEWELL F. PUTNAM,
Superintendent of Streets.

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TO LET

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COTTAGE OF 6 ROOMS to let. In good repair. Inquire 542 Gorham st.

NICE 8-ROOM TENEMENT with barn to let on Stackpole st. Nice cottage on Fifth st. Barn on Bartlett st. Inquire of John McMenamin, 212 Merrimack st.

6-ROOM TENEMENT to let, all modern improvements, nearly new, on West 9th st. Inquire 18 Elwood ave.

4-ROOM TENEMENT with hot and cold water, pantry and bath, to let. New tenement. Inquire 77 Linden st.

SMALL TENEMENT to let at 60 Tyler st. Inquire of Geo. H. Walker, 216 Central st. Care Bartlett & Dow.

BARN TO LET on Central st., near Hosford sq. $5 per mo. T. H. Elliott, 64 Central st.

FURNISHED ROOMS to let at 17 First street. Apply on premises.

MODERN 4-ROOM FLAT to let. Bath, hot water and set wash trays, at Davis square, Gorham and Central sts. Inquire of F. W. Barrows, 1036 Central st.

LOWER TENEMENT of 7 rooms to let, first class condition, set tubs, open plumbing, on upper part of Broadway. Apply to Charles M. Erskine, Room 8, Central Block.

STORE AND TENEMENT to let, 100 Lakeview ave., at $10 a month. Charles Callahan, 117 Durant st.

LARGE BARN to let with cellar, also use of sink, water, kitchen and stove. Good place for keeping hens. Inquire 178 Charles st.

FLATS TO LET—Three and four rooms each, $1.25 and $1.50 per week. Inquire at 801 Lakeview ave.

6-ROOM TENEMENT to let in Pawtucketville, bath, gas, hot water, open plumbing, sewer connection. Apply 89 Varnum ave., or tel. 1019-1.

OFFICES TO LET in Associate bldg. Light, bright and airy, overlooking Monument square. Rent reasonable. Apply to janitor.

4-ROOM FLAT to let, bath, separate front and back doors. Inquire 625 East Merrimack st.

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FOR SALE

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12 HORSES for sale. Drivers, workers, family and business horses. See these before you buy. Rear 66 Franklin st.

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LOT OF SECOND-HAND LUMBER, and body, axle and wheels of a two-horse dump cart, for sale cheap. Inquire at 942 Middlesex st. S. B. Puffer.

LIGHT BRAHMA EGGS for sale, for hatching, 50 cents for 13. McDonald, 406 Mammoth road.

VARIETY STORE for sale, doing fine business, good locality, fresh clean stock, rent low. Sickness cause of sale. Cut $100. See Byam Bros., 97 Central st.

12 RHODE ISLAND RED PULLETS for sale. Choice stock. 549 Lawrence st.

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SPECIAL NOTICES

MRS. DIONNE, the dressmaker, has removed her parlors from 76 Aiken st. to 525 Merrimack st.

ROOMS PAPERED $1.65 up, rooms painted $1.25, white washing 25 cents. All work guaranteed. Shop address, F. Benard, 48 Winter st.

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AMERICAN HAND LAUNDRY CO., 16 Marsh st. Work done in first class style at reasonable prices, with or without ironing.

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THE SUN IN BOSTON—The Sun is on sale every day at both news-stands of the Union station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

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DRUG CLERK desires position, 10 years' experience, A1 references. Address D. C., Sun Office.

EXPERIENCED CHAUFFEUR, strictly temperate, single man, wants situation in or out of town. Address J. R. A., Sun Office.

MIDDLE AGED WOMAN would like light housework or to take care of a couple of children. Call at 104 Concord st.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

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LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

Whereas, Otto Waldemar Swenson, of Lowell, in said County, has presented to said Court, a petition praying that his name may be changed to that of Waldemar Stewart for the reasons therein set forth;

All persons are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the seventh day of April, A. D. 1910, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and ten.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the next of kin and all others interested in the estate of Thomas Fox, late of Holliston, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, Daniel J. Donahue, the administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court for allowance the second account of his administration on said estate and application has been made for a distribution of the balance in his hands among the next of kin of said deceased;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the seventeenth day of May, A. D. 1910, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why said account should not be allowed and distribution made according to said application.

And the petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by delivering or mailing post-paid a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate thirty days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fourth day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred and ten.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Oliver J. Coburn, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the nineteenth day of April, A. D. 1910, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this second day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred and ten.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of James Lee, late of Dracut, in said County, deceased.

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On the Ocean Front, at Virginia Ave., Atlantic City, N. J. Elevator to street; ocean view rooms, single or en suite, with bath. Beautiful new cafe. Orchestra, etc. J. H. GORMLEY.

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LAWN MOWERS sharpened up to date at Harry Gonzales, the cutler, 128 Gorham st. Tel. 952-2.

DRINK GLORIA for health; sold everywhere.

MOTHERS—Bent's Destroyer kills lice on children, and all insects; cures dandruff and itching scalp; prevents falling hair; harmless. 25c only at Falls & Burkinshaw's, 418 Middlesex st.

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Good worker, weighing 1300 lbs., 14 hands high, 12 years old; would make a good farm horse. Inquire Davis & Sargent, Middlesex st.

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To let, houses, tenements and stores in all parts of the city. I have just completed fifteen new houses which at this time are ready for occupancy. If in need of property call at 8 Grand street and get full particulars about the properties I control. Real estate deals of all kinds consummated.



OFFICE OF DEPT. OF SUPPLIES

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Supply Department to purchase and sell goods, as follows, until 10 a. m., Friday, April 8th, 1910:

Req. 45,065. Sewer Dept.

To Sell:

1 Clutch Engine, complete without boiler.

Req. 45,572. Water Works Dept.

1 Dean Boiler Feed Pump.

Req. 45,974. Sewer Dept.

2 Ingersoll & Sargent Steam Rock Drills.

1 Rand Steam Rock Drill.

Req. 46,092. Street Dept.

Scrap Iron at Willard St. Ledge.

To Purchase:

Drugs, as per list, which can be seen at Supply Department.

All bids submitted to be in sealed envelopes, plainly marked on outside kind of material upon which bid is submitted.

PETER A. MACKENZIE,
Chief of the Supply Dept.
Lowell, Mass., April 4th, 1910.

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

SOUTHERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
5.46	6.50	6.14	7.18
a6.27	7.41	7.58	8.55
b6.44	7.58	8.15	9.01
6.49	7.30	9.00	9.39
7.01	8.00	10.00	10.30
7.22	8.05	b10.21	11.34
a7.31	8.50	11.30	12.07
7.44	8.35	12.00	12.50
8.48	9.25	1.00	1.37
8.56	9.55	2.00	3.04
b9.07	10.16	3.02	3.37
9.30	10.24	b3.31	5.02
10.45	11.40	4.00	6.37
11.38	12.30	a4.14	6.30
12.12	1.00	5.03	5.57
1.48	2.50	b5.21	6.39
2.41	3.33	6.03	6.28
3.57	4.40	b5.51	7.05
4.23	5.30	a6.14	7.30
5.39	6.15	7.30	8.06
b6.10	7.19	8.30	9.06
6.58	7.10	10.30	11.34
7.35	8.20	11.17	11.53
9.50	10.30	11.20	12.16

SUNDAY TRAINS

SOUTHERN DIVISION

6.49	7.30	9.00	10.00
7.22	8.05	10.00	10.39
7.35	8.35	11.30	12.07
8.48	9.49	1.00	1.37
9.20	10.15	5.00	6.03
10.30	11.38	7.30	8.06
2.23	3.19	8.30	9.06
5.10	6.00	9.00	10.02
6.28	7.10	10.14	10.52
7.35	8.20	10.29	11.35

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
0.46	7.55	x7.00	8.10
8.04	8.55	7.30	8.52
9.50	10.50	9.24	10.39
10.55	11.55	10.55	11.52
12.05	1.10	11.50	12.54
x1.50	2.36	2.14	3.23
3.10	4.14	3.30	4.30
4.50	5.34	4.59	5.50
5.06	6.09	6.03	7.03
7.00	8.00	6.35	7.45
9.35	10.38	9.35	10.33
		[x]11.25	12.21

SUNDAY TRAINS

WESTERN DIVISION

8.20	9.20	8.00	9.08
12.10	1.15	12.00	1.00
2.55	5.00	3.14	5.23
5.45	7.00	8.30	4.41
8.50	10.02	5.20	6.39
		8.40	9.43

References:

x Runs to Lowell Saturdays only.
a Via Lawrence Junction.
b Via Bedford.
c Via Salem Jct.
z Via Wilmington Junction.

LOCAL NEWS

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Get your hat at Delorme's.

Gilmore's Prescott hall, tonight.

Kittredge's, O. U. A. M., tonight.

When placing insurance consult J. F. Donohoe, Donovan building, Tel.

Don't miss the great sale of beautiful house lots in the Lowell Highlands on Saturday, April 9th, at 2.30 p. m.

A high mass of requiem will be celebrated for the repose of the soul of Mrs. Mary Bushnell at 8 o'clock Wednesday morning.

The regular meeting of Butler Ames Company, U. R. K. P., was held last night and one brother knight was obligated into the rank. Major H. T. Russell was present and addressed the members.

M. E. CONFERENCE

WESTFIELD, April 5.—Preliminary meetings of the New England conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, the largest of the six conferences held in New England annually, began here today. Bishop Luther Wilson of Philadelphia, one of the best known administrators of the board, is presiding officer of the conference.

In the local Y. M. C. A. hall today the examinations of delegates took place. This forenoon examinations for local orders and written examination in the conference course were held while others went on during the day. The anniversary meeting of the Epworth league will be held this evening. Over two hundred and sixty ministers will be in attendance at the conference tomorrow.

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Under new management, will be open to the public from 8 a. m. until 11 p. m. with all new pins, balls and everything that will make this amusement place the most attractive bowling room in the city. Private alleys for private parties. Give us a call.

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WILLIAM PERRY
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Moving Pictures, Illustrated Songs
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THE A. O. H. BAZAAR

Associate Hall Was Crowded to the Doors Last Night

Associate hall was crowded to the doors last night when the formal opening of the bazaar in aid of the A. O. H. building fund took place. Early in the evening 600 members of the five divisions of the order in this city assembled at A. O. H. hall in the Howe building and formed for the parade. The line was headed by a fife and drum corps and Michael McMullin of Division 1 was marshal. John C. Rourke of Division 8 was adjutant and the aids were Capt. Patrick Fitzgerald of the Irish Volunteers; deputy of Division 11; Daniel E. Hogan, secretary of the Central council; Dennis Lynch, vice-president of Division 2; Patrick Connolly, president of Division 11; Daniel Reilly, of Division 8, and Hugh McQuaide, president of Division 28.

The line of march was from the hall to Central to Charles to Gorham to Central to Merrimack streets to Associate hall. Along the line of march hundreds viewed the paraders. The bazaar was opened by Mayor Meehan who was introduced by Mr. James O'Sullivan, general manager of the festival. Mr. O'Sullivan explained the object of the affair, stating that for years it has been the ambition of the Hibernians of Lowell to have a building that they could call their own. The funds received from the bazaar, he said, will be used in part to help along this project, and a portion will be laid aside to go toward paying the expenses of the state convention to be held here in August. He said that there is no doubt that within one year the Hibernian building will be constructed in this city. Mr. O'Sullivan's remarks aroused great enthusiasm and when he introduced Mayor Meehan, the large audience gave His Honor a grand reception.

Mayor Meehan said in part: "I am exceedingly glad to have received an invitation to be present here this evening, and I wish to congratulate the Hibernians on this splendid demonstration. But I am not here to lecture on Ireland, for Ireland needs no words of mine. The history of Ireland is Ireland's greatest fame. Nor need I speak for Irishmen; they need no defense nor eulogy from me. They have been a potential factor for good in everything in our American life, and stand for the highest type of manhood, wherever they may be."

The mayor said that it was his hope that the Hibernians would accomplish their object and erect here a building that will be a credit not only to the order but to the city. He referred to the grand work done in the recent Y. M. C. A. campaign for a new building and said that he saw no reason why the Hibernians could not accomplish the same results. He also referred to the coming state convention and urged all citizens to unite in making it a grand affair and to extend to the visiting thousands a warm welcome. The mayor was cheered at the conclusion of his remarks. The large audience was then given an opportunity to inspect the different sales tables which are prettily decorated and contain many articles of value.

There are four booths on each side of the hall. On the left as one enters, is the fish pond. Then comes the booth of Division 11, followed by the booth of Division 1 and finally next to the stage, by that of Division 28. The first booth on the right side as one enters is the refreshment booth and is under the direction of the Ladies Auxiliary. Next there is a mystery table and the table of the Ladies Auxiliary proper, both of which are under the direction of this enthusiastic body of women. Then there is the booth of Division 8 and finally that of Division 2.



JAMES O'SULLIVAN
General Manager of A. O. H. Bazaar.

Ice cream, cake, candy, tonic and lemonade are served at the refreshment table. On the other tables is a great variety of handsome articles that will attract the attention of the thousands of patrons expected during the week.

An orchestra made up of members of the A. O. H. furnished music for the dancing that followed the opening address.

The hall is handsomely decorated; flags and bunting and greenery being used in profusion.

The principal decorations are in delicate pink and white, with green for a background. Streamers of all three colors sweep in graceful folds across the front of the balconies in long streamers and pennants from every post and pillar to the electrolier high up in the centre of the ceiling. The proscenium arch of the stage is a mass of pink and white drapery, while the back wall is hung with American flags, flanked by the familiar banner of the Emerald isle, beneath which are massed pine trees and potted plants.

Bazaar Will Continue

The bazaar is to be open each remaining night of this week, and for each night there has been arranged a program differing in character but equally excellent in degree. Tonight for instance, is novelty night and just before the dancing Mr. Charles Carey, the well known letter carrier, will sing one of Dockstader's latest ballads and a character sketch from "Bright Eyes." Wednesday night there will be an entertainment by the Y. M. C. I.; Thursday night a parade and prize drill by the Celtic military companies of this city, and visiting organizations; Friday night an entertainment by the C. Y. M. L., and Saturday night general dancing and the distribution of prizes. There will also be dancing every other night from 9 until 11 o'clock.

The Committees

The officers of the general committee are: General manager, James O'Sullivan; assistant general manager, James E. Burns; treasurer, John H. Hickey; secretary, Hugh McQuaide.

Executive committee of the general committee: Michael McMullen, Division 1; Dennis O'Brien, Division 2; Daniel Riley, Division 8, chairman of the several committees; Michael Connolly, Division 11; Patrick Wrenn, Division 28.

Ladies' Auxiliary, including Ladies' Auxiliary table, mystery table and refreshment booths: Matrons, Miss Katherine R. Downes, Mrs. Maria O'Connor, Miss Annie Maguire; assistant matrons, Mrs. Julia Donnelly, Miss Delia Clancy, Miss Mollie Burke, Miss Katherine M. Clancy; treasurer, Mrs. Julia Reardon; aids, Mrs. Minnie McQuarrie, Mrs. Fury, Mrs. John Haviland, Mrs. Hannah O'Laughlin, the Misses Mary Lee, Delia O'Brien, Mary King, Katherine Dwyer, Katherine O'Brien, Katherine Burke, Nora Hayes, Sara Conway, Kittie Barry, May Ellen Connolly, Alice Hayes, Mamie Norton, Emma Murphy, Mrs. Katherine Goggin, Mrs. Mary Balfrey, Mrs. Joseph Fahey, the Misses Alice Casey, Margaret Buckley, Mary Mesball, Norah Lyons, Mary O'Malley, Delia Fitzgerald, Mollie O'Brien, Margaret Kenney, Nora Kenney, Helen Rayball, Annie Cassidy, May Ellen Cox, Mary Qualey, Margaret Murray, Minnie Barry, Margaret Barry.

Division 28 table: Chairman, John Thompson; treasurer, Edward Slattery; secretary, Owen Healey; matron, Mrs. Timothy O'Sullivan; assistant, Miss Helena O'Sullivan; aids, Mrs. Joseph T. McWeeny, the Misses May O'Brien, Sara Kelly, Josephine Kelly, Mollie O'Sullivan, Annie Donovan, Theresa Slattery, Mollie O'Brien, Lulu O'Sullivan, Julia Slattery, Margaret Curtan, Annie Sullivan, Mary Sullivan.

Division 1 table: Chairman, Daniel E. Hogan; secretary, John O'Loughlin; treasurer, Patrick Reardon; matron, Mrs. Mary Maguire; assistant, Miss Bridget Nolan; aids, the Misses May Connors, Elizabeth Lynch, Margaret Lynch, Bessie Fitzsimmons, Margaret Feeney, Nora Feeney, May Callahan, Laura Hanley, Margaret Rourke, Delia Rourke, Maria Markham, Mary Riley, Susie Riley, Winnie O'Loughlin, Annie Campbell, Annie O'Laughlin, Alice McNulty, Nellie McNulty, Elizabeth Whalen, Sadie Kenney, Katherine O'Neir.

Fish pond, under Division 1 management; Joseph E. McVey, manager; Miss Annie O'Laughlin, Miss May Callahan.

Division 11 table: Chairman, Michael Connors; secretary, Patrick Connolly; treasurer, John Talty; matron, Miss Etta Duffy; assistant, Mrs. Helen Ferris; aids, the Misses Annie Connolly, Mary E. Connolly, Annie Pierce, Katherine Griffin, Della Langen, Katherine Trainor, Winifred Hannon, Agnes Brennan, Katherine Brennan, Annie Quinn, Mary Fox, Nellie Callahan, Nora Callahan, Sarah Harrison, Margaret Harrington, Rose Cunnion, Annie Curran, Mary Wheley, Myrtle Dunfey, Sarah Hession, Nellie Kelley, Mrs. Patrick Donnelly.

Division 2 table: Chairman, D. F. Lynch; secretary, Charles Carlin, treasurer, Owen McArdle; matron, Mrs. C. V. Lyons; assistant, Mrs. Agnes Finnegan; aids, Miss Annie Finnegan, Mrs. Thomas Sheehan, the Misses Mamie A. Sheehan, Norah Sheehan. Katherine Sheridan, Annie Smith, Bessie McAloon, Annie McAloon, Mary Lynch, May Reardon, Helen Dee, Katherine Mahoney, Alice Hoy, Julia Lynch, Mrs. John P. Sheehan.

Division 8 table: Chairman, John C. Rourke; secretary, Michael Rynne; treasurer, Nicholas Scroghan; matron, Miss Delia Conway; assistant, Mrs. Patrick Sheridan; aids, the Misses Nellie Mulligan, Margaret Mulligan, Helen Ward, Minnie Scanlon.

FUNERAL NOTICE

CUFF—The funeral of Miss Annie T. Cuff will take place Thursday morning at eight o'clock from the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Cuff, 195 Moore street, and proceed to the church of the Sacred Heart, where at nine o'clock a funeral high mass will be sung, after which the cortege will proceed to the Catholic cemetery, where burial will take place in the family lot. The funeral arrangements and burial are in charge of Undertaker John A. Finnegan.

VYSKOCZKA—The funeral of Sylvester Vyskoczka will take place tomorrow morning at eight o'clock from his home, 67 Davidson street, and proceed to the Lithuanian Catholic church, Rogers street, where at nine o'clock a funeral high mass will be sung, after which the remains will be taken to the funeral parlors of Undertaker John A. Finnegan, 179 East Merrimack street. Burial will take place Sunday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock from the funeral parlors and placed in the family lot in the Catholic cemetery in charge of Undertaker John A. Finnegan.

KENNEY—The funeral of Mr. John Kenney will take place Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock from his late home, 117 Butterfield st. A solemn high funeral mass will be sung in St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. C. H. Molloy & Sons in charge.

KEEGAN—The funeral of Mrs. Catherine Keegan will take place Thursday morning at 8.30 o'clock from her late home, 3 rear 218 Adams street. A funeral high mass will be sung in St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. C. H. Molloy & Sons will be in charge.

BROMLEY—The funeral of the late Mrs. Julia A. Bromley will take place tomorrow morning from her residence, 1120 Mammoth road, Collinsville, at 8 o'clock. High mass of requiem will be celebrated in St. Mary's church at 9 o'clock. Undertaker J. F. O'Donnell and Sons in charge.

CLARK—The funeral of George E. Clark will take place Thursday morning from his late residence, 103 Pleasant street at 9 o'clock. Solemn high mass of requiem will be celebrated in the church of the Immaculate Conception at 10 o'clock. Undertaker J. F. O'Donnell and Sons in charge.

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Tomorrow at 1.30 P. M.

I will sell for A. B. Humphrey & Co., at 320 Middlesex street, the stock of carriages, harnesses, robes, blankets, whips, etc., which was recently purchased from the well-known carriage dealer, Henry J. O'Dowd, who is retiring from the carriage business. Also about 20 horses, workers, drivers, and general business horses.

C. F. KEYES in charge.

SATURDAY

April 9th, at 2.30 P. M.

MAMMOTH LAND SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION OF TWENTY-ONE (21) HOUSE LOTS

in the Lowell Highlands. The streets are all graded, have best of sewerage, sidewalks, curbings, water, and are extremely well lighted. Within five minutes' walk of three schools, within three minutes' walk of two lines of cars and close to a number of churches, including the new Catholic church soon to be erected on Stevens street. Best of neighbors. Twenty-two pretty homes already built. There are a number of the choicest lots left averaging from 4000 to 10,000 feet each, and seven or eight are very nice corner lots, and they will be sold for just what they will bring. They are situated on high and dry land and are located on Lura, Wedge, Ruth, Atlantic, Fairfield, Rhodora and Parker streets. When you are out for a walk or drive look the premises over. You will find the lots all that could be desired, and the air is pure as if you were five miles out in the country. The sale will be absolute and my loss will be your gain.

Terms:—$50 to be paid to the auctioneer on each lot as soon as struck off.

By order of EUGENE RUSSELL.

C. F. KEYES WILL HOLD HIS NEXT BIG FURNITURE SALE ON THURSDAY, APRIL 14. ALL ENTRIES FOR THIS SALE MUST BE MADE ON OR BEFORE APRIL 8.

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COATS FOR BIG AND LITTLE GIRLS, COATS FOR SMALL WOMEN, COATS FOR STOUT WOMEN, COATS FOR SHORT WAISTED WOMEN

All Kinds of Short and Long Coats, Panama Coats: Serge Coats, Novelty Mixed Coats, Silk Coats

LET US FIT YOU OUT IN ONE OF OUR STYLISH COATS

For growing girls, $5.00, $6.00, $7.00, $8.00 and $9.00.

For small girls, $1.98, $2.50, $2.75, $2.98, $3.50, $3.98, $4.50, $5.00 up.

For smart, dressy women, $6.98, $7.50, $8.75, $9.50, $10.75, 11.50, $12.75, 13.50, $14.75, $15.00, $16.50 up to $30.00.

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12-18 JOHN STREET

DORMITORY THIEF

Was Caught After Some Gun Play

BOSTON, April 5.—Shots, following a robbery in Westmorely Hall, Harvard's most aristocratic dormitory in the section known as the "Gold Coast," aroused Cambridge so suddenly last evening that the alleged invader was in the Brattle square police station less than half an hour after the theft was committed.

It was 8.30 o'clock when a man rode up to Westmorely Hall in Bow street. He entered Suite 106, which is occupied by John H. Knapp, Jr., of West Newton; Philip K. Houston of Concord; Morris L. Hallowell, Jr., Minneapolis, Minn., and Richard Douglas of Chillicothe, O., all members of the class of 1912.

A short time later a young man clothed in many suits rode to the Max Keezer store in Bow street on a bicycle and offered Max Keezer, Jr., some of the clothing for cash. Keezer doubted the right of the young man to sell the clothing and showed a revolver. His customer ran into the street, and as soon as Keezer got out onto the sidewalk and saw the young man riding away on the bicycle he shot into the air and gave chase, shooting until the man forsook the bicycle and ran around the corner, only to fall into the arms of Policeman Robert Douglas, who was standing in front of Russell Hall.

At the Brattle Square station Patrolman Garvin identified the young man as Walter Garrity, 23 years old, of Cambridge, who recently was released from the Cambridge house of correction, prior to which he served in the house of correction on Deer Island and the Cambridge reform school.

Several pairs of trousers, three coats and vests, a revolver and knife, valued at $200, and a jewel box containing ten stickpins valued at $500 were taken from the suite.

At the station house the police say that Garrity confessed he stole the bicycle in the afternoon at the corner of Massachusetts avenue and Pearl street. The police have not found the owner of the bicycle.

Knapp is a son of John H. Knapp of West Newton, with offices at 50 Congress street, Boston, and Houston is a son of a prominent telephone official.

CONSERVATION

TO BE LEADING SUBJECT AT CHARITIES CONFERENCE

WASHINGTON, April 5.—The subject of conservation seems likely to occupy a very prominent place in the deliberation of the national conference of charities and corrections which will meet in this city during the week of May 19-26.

Announcement was made today by Paul Kellogg of New York, editor of the survey who is chairman of the committee on occupational standards of the national conference that while he has been unsuccessful in securing the promise from James J. Hill to open the discussion on "Conservation" he had received a tentative promise from Gifford Pinchot, late chief forester of the United States, that if the latter returns from his conference with Col. Roosevelt in Europe before this conference meets he will probably appear here.

It seems to be more and more apparent, according to Mr. Kellogg that there is a definite relation between conserving of the nation's resources and problems of charity.

Louis D. Brandeis of Boston has promised that unless he is detained in Washington by a congressional inquiry he will deliver an address on "What industrial changes and adjustments will further the practical adoption of advancing occupational standards."

In the matter of conservation of the human end of the American industrial machinery, it is expected that Dr. Henry F. Falvill of Chicago will make an important public announcement of his investigations relating to the toxin of fatigue.

SUPERIOR COURT

Moore Spinning-Boston Ice Case Next

The case of Hourihan vs. Blair and Hourihan vs. Whidden Co. Inc., which went to trial in the superior court by special assignment yesterday was on trial throughout the forenoon and will take most of the session today.

At the opening of court this morning a jury was empanelled to consider the next case on the list also specially assigned, the counter suit of the Boston Ice company vs. Moore Spinning company and the Moore Spinning company vs. Boston Ice company. W. D. Turner of Boston appears for the Boston Ice company and Stone and Stone of Boston for the Moore Spinning company. Immediately after being empanelled the jury accompanied by deputy sheriffs and counsel, boarded a special electric car and proceeded to North Chelmsford to view the premises over which the litigation is pending. The case involves a question of water rights at Crystal lake, in North Chelmsford from which the Moore Spinning company gets water by means of a canal, while the Boston Ice company controls the ice cutting on the pond. Some time ago it will be recalled a dam at the entrance of the canal broke, causing a flood and doing considerable damage.

While the specially assigned cases are on trial, Clerk Smith is busy getting the regular list ready.

THE LIQUOR ISSUE

Big Question in Illinois Election

CHICAGO, April 5.—The polls opened at 6 a. m. tody for what was looked upon as one of the most important aldermanic elections in Chicago's history. Keen interest was displayed in many of the thirty-five wards, each of which are to elect a member to the new city council.

Reform organizations put forth efforts to defeat alleged gray wolves because the next council probably will have to decide upon several great municipal undertakings. Among these are regulation of the prices of gas and telephone service and construction of a passenger subway.

The saloon question was not put before the voters in Chicago, the project to have it placed on the ballot having been knocked out on the ground that the petition did not have enough signatures.

More than two hundred cities and towns in Illinois, however, were called upon to vote on local option.

Saturday, April 9th, at 2.30 p. m., 21 house lots at public auction in the Lowell Highlands.

"HERE'S TO YOUR HEALTH AND YOUR FAMILY'S"

As the spring and summer months approach we should throw off dull care and enjoy life. But for happiness, good health is a necessity, so if you feel the need of a simple tonic try a bottle of our

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Tomorrow at 10.30 A.M.

The sale of the personal property of R. D. Snow will take place in Pelham, on Bridge street. Lunch will be served at 12 o'clock.

Per order R. D. SNOW.

JOHN T. DONLON - - Auctioneer

AT MY REGULAR SALE, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6, AT 1.30, CORNER OF FRANKLIN AND WILLIE STREETS, I will sell 25 extra good acclimated horses, consigned to me to be sold without limit or reserve; 10 single harness, 5 heavy express harness, and a number of carriages.

Consignments solicited.

THE WEATHER

Generally cloudy, followed by showers late tonight or Wednesday; light variable winds, becoming easterly and southerly.

THE LOWELL SUN

7 O'CLOCK

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VEAL WAS CONDEMNED

EXTRA

UNSTAMPED VEAL

Condemned By the Board of Health Today

Three unstamped veals that were killed in Chelmsford were condemned by the board of health at a special meeting held this afternoon. The calves belonged to Jesse Kemp of Chelmsford and were sold by him. It was stated that the calves were killed by a licensed inspector in a licensed slaughter house, yet they came to Lowell unstamped. It was stated that the meat was all right but that didn't help in the absence of proper stamping.

The meeting was called for the purpose of approving bills and incidentally to hear what Mr. Kemp had to say about the unstamped veal. The board chairman said that Mr. Kemp acknowledged the corn. If further action in the matter is to be taken by the board the chairman was not prepared to state.

The secretary read a communication from the board of selectmen of Dracut, which is also the board of health, in reply to a letter from the Lowell board of health relative to the official stamping of meat in Dracut.

The Lowell board complained that the stamping was not properly done in Dracut inasmuch as the inspector was in the habit of stamping meat 24 hours or more after the "critter" was killed. The Dracut selectmen said in their letter that they would instruct their meat inspector to be on the scene when animals were being slaughtered and to stamp them there and then. The selectmen said they would see to it that the law was enforced to the letter.

SUM OF $28,810

Recommended for Improvements on Fire Houses

At a recent meeting of the fire department committee it was voted to refer the following estimates to the lands and buildings committee with the recommendation that a view be taken as soon as possible.

Lincoln street fire house, bath $500; Branch street, bath and ten sleeping rooms, $3200; High street, bath and ten sleeping rooms, $3200; Pawtucketville, bath and eight sleeping rooms, $2560; Central street, six sleeping rooms, $1920; Fourth street, bath and ten sleeping rooms, $3200; Lawrence street, two baths and 16 sleeping rooms, $5120; Westford street; bath and ten sleeping rooms, $3200; Warren street, bath and ten sleeping rooms, $3200; Gorham street, bath and eight sleeping rooms, $2560, also papering and painting at Central street station, $160.

The committee on lands and buildings meet at city hall at 2 o'clock this afternoon and went out on a tour of inspection of the places named in the recommendation of the committee on fire department.

SEVERAL FIRES

Kept the Dept. Busy This Afternoon

An alarm from box 341 shortly after 3.30 o'clock this afternoon summoned a portion of the fire department to a grass fire in the vicinity of the P. R. Warren plant in Warrenville. The blaze was extinguished shortly after the arrival of the firemen.

Another Grass Fire

At 11.26 o'clock a telephone alarm was sent to the central fire station for a grass fire in Florence avenue in the Highlands. The timely arrival of the department prevented the blaze from gaining large proportions.

Automatic Alarm

At 11.01 o'clock a thermostat at the United States Bobbin shop in Rogers street went on the rampage and sending in an automatic alarm called Engine Co. No. 4 to the plant. When the firemen arrived, however, they found that there was not even the sign of a blaze.

CALLED ON PRESIDENT

WASHINGTON, April 5.—Major General Leonard Wood who has been named by President Taft as a special envoy to convey the congratulations of the United States to Argentine republic upon the occasion of the centenary celebration of the birth of the republic May 25, called upon the president today and received the greetings he is to present to President Alcorta at Buenos Ayres.

General Wood will go in state to Buenos Ayres. He will accompany Rear Admiral Staunton, commander of the special squadron on board the cruiser Montana, sailing from Hampton Roads on Friday.

MANY ARE IDLE

STRIKE EXTENDING TO MANY NEW ENGLAND CITIES

BOSTON, April 5.—Balmy spring weather, the dull market in provisions and sympathy are a few of the factors in a strike epidemic which is extending to many cities and towns throughout the country. In New England the spring fever is responsible for the idleness of from 3000 to 4000 persons about 1000 of whom are employed in the International Paper Co.'s mills at Franklin, N. H., Berlin, N. H., Bellows Falls, Vt., Chisholm, Me. and elsewhere. Strikes in the textile industry in Boston, New Bedford and Dover, N. H., have thrown out, including the strikers, about 2000 operatives.

In Dalton, the Centennial and Defiance mills of the Byron-Weston Paper Co. are shut down because of a strike of forty finish employes who were not satisfied in an advance in wages of $1 a week. Two hundred in Dalton are idle. The paper mills of Crane & Co. in Dalton and the Smith Paper Co.'s four mills in Lee yesterday advanced the wages of their 1500 hands by about 20 cents a day. Five hundred weavers at the Gosnold cotton mills, New Bedford, struck yesterday for increased wages for running an additional number of looms. The loomfixers of the Cocheco cotton mills, Dover, N. H., who struck for more wages last month are still out. The wire weavers employed by the Buchanan Bolt Co., Holyoke, are on strike for more pay and some of the edge trimmers at the Isaac Prouty Shoe Co. of Spencer are also out.

TAXI DRIVERS STILL OUT

CHICAGO, April 5.—Chicago's taxicab service, suddenly demolished by a strike of chauffeurs last night, was almost a total standstill today. Seeking men to replace the strikers the employers declared themselves not able to grant a "closed shop."

RELATIVE OF TAFT DEAD

LEXINGTON, Ky., April 5.—Clinton Alexander Taft, a distant relative of President Taft, died here today, aged 59 years.

REV. T. WADE SMITH

Appointed Provincial of the Oblate Order Today



REV. T. WADE SMITH, O. M. I.

He is Pastor of Sacred Heart Church and a Great Churchman—The Appointment Meets With Greatest Approval—Fr. Smith Will Return to Lowell April 13

Rev. T. Wade Smith, O. M. I., pastor of the Sacred Heart church, of this city, has been chosen provincial of the Oblate order to succeed Very Rev. Fr. Fallon who recently was made a bishop by the pope. Notice of Fr. Smith's appointment was received in this city this afternoon, and the rejoicing of the people was not confined to the members of the Sacred Heart parish, but was general throughout the city among Catholics and non-Catholics alike, who have known Fr. Smith since he came here.

It is doubtful if a more satisfactory selection could have been made, at least so far as the laity of this section is concerned, and there can be no question that the priests received the news with the greatest pleasure, for when a representative of The Sun called up several of the parochial residences on the telephone and talked with the clergy, all expressed their delight that the honor had come to Fr. Smith.

Rev. Fr. Tighe, O. M. I., who has been associated with Fr. Smith at the Sacred Heart church received word this afternoon that the new provincial will arrive in Lowell about April 13. His appointment was made by the superior general of the Oblate Congregation, the Most Rev. Archbishop Dontenville, of Rome. Notification of the appointment was sent to Rt. Rev. M. F. Fallon, O. M. I., and he at once conveyed the message to Fr. Smith who is at present in Buffalo. It has not been determined yet whether or not Fr. Smith will locate in Buffalo.

The new provincial is about 40 years old and is a native of Ottawa, Ont. He is a graduate of Ottawa university where he received the degrees of B. A. and M. A. After his graduation he became a professor at the university and later was professor of English and physical sciences at the Harvard summer school. He was ordained a priest in 1892 and came to this city as a curate at the Immaculate Conception church where he remained one year. Then came his appointment as president of Holy Angels college in Buffalo, a notable tribute to the worth and learning of the young priest. He continued as head of Holy Angels college for ten years when he was transferred to Lowell and became treasurer at the Immaculate Conception church. During the absence of Rev. Fr. Dorgan, O. M. I., in Europe, Fr. Smith was acting superior and pastor at the Immaculate Conception church. Later he founded the scholasticate at Tewksbury and it is due to his wise judgment at the start and his work performed during the time that he had charge, that this institution has attained the rank it now holds. When Fr. Smith had placed the new institution on a firm basis he was transferred to the Sacred Heart church in this city of which he was made pastor. Every one in Lowell is acquainted with the grand work he has done since he took charge of this parish.

Improvements that even the oldest members of the parish never dreamed of have been made and the crowning part of his work was the erection of the magnificent parochial school which will be occupied by the pupils next September. Fr. Smith is a great churchman, in fact is regarded among the authorities as one of the leaders in this section of the country. He is a very modest man, most retiring in his disposition, but a person who commands the love and respect of those who enjoy his acquaintance. He is a most interesting talker, an eloquent preacher and a leader who is able to attain the best results.

Fr. Smith has a wide acquaintance in this city and should it be necessary for him to remove to Buffalo, his departure from Lowell will cause great regret. The people of the Sacred Heart parish and in fact of all the Catholic parishes of the city are eagerly awaiting definite news of the time of the arrival of the new provincial in this city and undoubtedly on that occasion there will be a great reception to the new provincial of the Oblate order.

THE GLOVER CASE

Was Resumed in Court Today

CAMBRIDGE, April 5—The resumption of the hearing on the Glover will today proved a solace for those court frequenters who were unable to gain admission to the Russell trial across the corridor. When the hearing adjourned last week the attorney for the four brothers of the murdered Waltham laundryman had exhausted his evidence in support of the claim that Mrs. Glover had influenced her husband by threats to make the will in her favor. It was therefore the province today of Lawyer D. Elmore, counsel for the widow and the will, either to make his argument or rest his case on the evidence submitted. There was great interest in his action when the court opened at 2 p. m.

FORCES OF PERU

Are Under Arms Awaiting Developments

LIMA, Peru, April 5.—The forces of Peru are under arms awaiting eventualities with Ecuador. Admiral Villavicienzo has been placed in command of the fleet and Col. Alvarez put at the head of all land forces in the department of Lambayeque. The full fighting strength is prepared to advance at a moment's notice.

NEW TUNNEL OPENED

SANTIAGO, Chile, April 5.—The trans-Andine railroad tunnel was formally opened today with the passage through of a train bearing the Chilean and Argentine commissioners and other representatives of both countries. The occasion was one of general celebration. The tunnel is 12,000 feet above sea level and links the republics of Chile and Argentine commercially. Its connection constituted a great engineering feat in which American methods and machinery were used. It is five miles long and affords direct communication between Valparaiso and Buenos Ayres.

BOXING CONTRACT BROKEN

BOSTON, April 5.—The Massachusetts courts today broke a contract between Alex McLean of Chelsea and Jack Johnson, the pugilist, in which the latter agreed to fight, box and give a boxing exhibitions, on the ground that the making of such an agreement was a felony in this state and could not be enforced.

McLean sued the champion on a contract made four years ago and claimed that he suffered a damage of $10,000 when Johnson broke it in Australia in 1907.

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INDIANA REPUBLICANS

Stand by Policies of Roosevelt and Taft

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 5.—If the republican state convention which assembled at 9 o'clock this morning adopts as a party platform the resolutions drawn up by its committee on resolutions early today it will endorse the principle of protective tariff but make no mention of the Payne-Aldrich tariff law. The committee on resolutions it was learned voted unanimously not to mention the new measure.

Nor did the committee which framed the resolutions take up the county option question which figured in the last campaign.

The resolutions as prepared for the convention endorse the policies of former President Roosevelt and the administration of President Taft.

Immediately after the convention assembled Senator Beveridge took charge as temporary chairman and delivered the principal address.

We, the republicans of Indiana, declare our determined support of those great policies for the common good developed under Theodore Roosevelt and bearing his name and we demand that they be given effect in legislation and administration. We believe in a protective tariff measured by the difference between the cost of production here and abroad. Less than this is unjust to American laborers, more is unjust to American consumers. That difference has been ascertained with the utmost speed and the present law modified accordingly.

We demand the immediate creation of a genuine, permanent, non-partisan tariff commission with ample power and definite duties fixed in the law itself.

We believe with President McKinley in his last tariff utterance that the period of exclusiveness is past and we heartily favor the republican policy of reciprocity first announced by Blaine and enacted by McKinley.

We demand comprehensive laws for the conservation of our natural resources and especially that the coal deposits of Alaska shall be kept the property of the nation to be developed only under lease and payment of just royalties to the government.

In time of war or any other emergency when ordinary forms of taxation are not enough for the needs of the government, the nation should have the constitutional power to tax incomes. We heartily favor an amendment to the constitution giving congress such power.

We favor such limitation of the power of injunction as will not imperil the liberty of any man without notice or hearing.

We favor national legislation which shall end child labor in the factories, mines and sweatshops throughout the land.

We favor the enactment of laws providing for publicity of campaign funds of both state and nation.

We demand that United States senators shall be elected by the direct vote of the people.

Good roads mark the progress of civilization. Present legislation is wholly inadequate to their proper maintenance and extension. The farmer pays an unjust share of the expenses. Therefore we favor state and county aid and an effective highway commission.

We favor revision of our civil and criminal codes to the end that technicalities and unnecessary formalities of pleading and practice may be eliminated, speedy justice adopted and the cost of litigation reduced to a minimum.

We recognize that no persistent in our history ever began his administration with universal favor and good will as did William Howard Taft; few men have entered the presidency with such extraordinary training. As collector of internal revenue, prosecuting attorney, judge of the state court, solicitor general, federal judge, governor of the Philippines, secretary of war, builder of the Panama canal, regenerator of Cuba—each in a period of official activity immediately following another for his entire adult life—he brought to the discharge of the great duties of the presidency, broad executive experience and grasp of governmental affairs. We endorse his administration and pledge to him our support in any efforts to secure the enactment of genuine progressive legislation.

The spirit of the times demands not only wise policies and sound principles but clean, vigilant, brave and finer men in public office. We endorse and applaud the splendid record of our senior senator and especially his record in the last session of congress which deserves the unqualified approval of all the people of the state. With pride and confidence we make a solemn pledge to the people that a republican legislature will return to the senate of the United States this man, whose name is synonomous with victory—Albert J. Beveridge.

The following nominations were made by acclamation:

Secretary of state—Ellis Gully of Danville.

Auditor of state—John Reed of Muncie.

Clerk of supreme court—Edward Fitzpatrick of Portland.

State statistician—John L. Peetz of Portland.

State geologist—W. S. Blatchely of Terre Haute.

Judge of supreme court, second district—Oscar Montgomery of Seymour.

Appellate judges—Ward H. Watson of Charleston and C. C. Hadley of Danville.

CRIMINAL LIBEL CHARGED

WASHINGTON, April 5.—John Penton of Cleveland, O., secretary of the Merchant Marine league of the United States, was arrested today on an indictment for criminal libel as he stepped from the house office building after testifying before the ship subsidy investigating committee.

20 COUNTIES WENT "DRY"

DETROIT, April 5.—Complete returns from the 36 counties in Michigan where local option elections were held yesterday show that 20 counties voted dry and 16 wet. Of the 83 counties in Michigan forty will now be dry and forty-three wet.

WEAVING DEPT. SHUT DOWN

NEW BEDFORD, April 5.—The entire weaving department of the Gosnold mill in this city was shut down today as a result of the strike of weavers. The other departments of the mill were running as usual, although four or five loomfixers were forced out of work. When the mill gates opened this morning only one weaver was on hand prepared to go to work.

THE PHILADELPHIA STRIKE

PHILADELPHIA, April 5.—Reports from the various barns of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co. today indicate that while some of the strikers returned to work there was no stampede by the men to take advantage of the offer of the company to re-employ as many of them individually as there are vacant places. The strike leaders maintain that the company will be forced to reinstate all of the old men. The company, on the other hand, says the strike is over so far as it is concerned and that it has more than five thousand men operating cars. The company adds, however, that it has room for about 2000 more men and that the strikers will be given preference if they apply for places.

PRIMARY LAW UPHELD

MADISON, Wis., April 5.—The primary election law was today upheld in an opinion handed down by the Wisconsin supreme court.

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6 O'CLOCK

FOR GRAND JURY

Probable Cause Found Against Two Young Men

Alfred Roy and Emery Regis, the young men who it is alleged broke into two buildings in Ward street either late Thursday night or early Friday morning of last week and stole a horse and wagon and harness and who were later arrested in Nashua, N. H., and brought to this city, were arraigned before Judge Hadley in police court this morning. After testimony had been offered by a number of witnesses the court found probable cause of guilt and held each under $800 bonds for appearance at the next sitting of the grand jury.

At the end of the trial Judge Hadley stated in the open court that Victor Payne, of Hudson, N. H., one of the government witnesses, should be commended for the part that he took in the arrest of the defendants, for it was due to the efforts of Mr. Payne that both Roy and Regis were arrested.

Neither of the defendants had counsel and their story was a general denial of everything testified to by the government witnesses.

Ubald Allard who was the first witness for the government stated that he kept his horse at 7 Ward street. He knows Roy. Thursday night at 8.30 o'clock he fed his horse, but the next morning at six o'clock when he went to feed the animal it was gone.

Alexis Morin, who conducts a blacksmith shop at 16 Ward street, across the street from Allard's place, said that he saw his Concord buggy in his place Thursday night when he closed up, but upon opening the place in the morning found that it was missing.

Joseph Z. Desrosiers, who owned the harness which was stolen, told of missing the harness and said that the harness which the police had shown him was his property.

Victor Payne, who resides in the Derry road in Hudson, was the next witness called and he testified in part, as follows: "Friday morning just at 7.05 o'clock those two men in the dock stopped in front of my house. They had a brown horse, Concord buggy painted red and a black trimmed harness. In the buggy were a couple of bags of phosphate and two blankets. They wanted to sell the phosphate and also expressed a desire to trade the horse. The phosphate is worth about $1.75 per sack but they were willing to give both sacks to me for $1. I refused to purchase the stuff but told them of a place where I thought they might be able to get rid of it.

"I knew the team was stolen from the minute I saw it in the middle of the road and I immediately called up the authorities in Hudson Centre and then followed them to Nashua and found them both drinking in a saloon in that city."

Officer Peter Better, of Nashua, said that he arrested Regis in a saloon in Canal street and that Regis told him that the rig was his property.

Officer H. C. Rogers, also of the Nashua police, who arrested Roy, said that he found the latter in Canal street about half an hour after Regis was arrested. He knew Roy by a description which he received at the police station.

Alfred Roy, one of the defendants, who was inclined to fall asleep while on the stand and kept awake only as a result of periodical references to his position by Supt. Welch, told the court that he went to Nashua on a car Friday morning. He went to that city for the purpose of seeing his brother-in-law's brother and left the Pawtucket bridge sometime about seven o'clock on Friday morning. He did not know how long it took him to reach the upriver city and denied that he had seen Mr. Payne at the time which the latter specified. He met Regis in Nashua and when the latter asked him to take a ride with him he did so. He said that while he and Regis were going over the road they found two bags of phosphate and placed them in the buggy.

Witness said that he was released from the reformatory four or five months ago after serving 12 months in that institution for larceny.

Emery Regis, the other defendant, said that he was going over the Aiken street bridge about 1.30 o'clock Friday morning when he met Roy and the latter asked him if he wanted to have a ride. He said that Roy said that the outfit belonged to a man whom he worked for and Regis feeling that it would do no harm to have a joy ride accepted the invitation. While passing through Hudson they found, he said, two bags of phosphate and two horse blankets on the road. He denied that he attempted to either sell the phosphate or the blankets. He admitted that he had served 17 months at the house of correction in Cambridge after being found guilty on several complaints of larceny.

The court after considering the evidence in the case found probable cause and held both defendants under $800 each for their appearance before the grand jury at the June sitting.

Other Offenders

George E. Baron, who several months ago was before the court and placed on probation, was arrested in Pawtucket street, yesterday. In court this morning he explained that while driving into Lowell he met with an accident and a woman gave him a cup of whiskey in order to revive him and that it was such a long time since he had had any liquor that it immediately went to his head. The court was inclined to be indulgent and continued him on probation.

John P. Simms pleaded not guilty to a complaint charging him with the larceny of 4000 pounds of iron valued at $32, the property of David Ziskind. At the request of the government the case was continued till Friday, Simms being held under $100 bonds for his appearance.

Robert Allison, a former collector for Ervin E. Smith, Market street hardware dealer, who was arrested several months ago on several counts for alleged larceny, was to have been given a hearing this morning in police court but by agreement of counsel the case was continued till April 15.

Cornelius Sullivan and James Higgins, charged with being drunk, were both sentenced to the state farm at Bridgewater.

Ernest L. Jotterand, whose wife was precipitated from a three story window at Coleman's boarding house in Webster street yesterday morning, was in court this morning and pleaded guilty to being drunk. His case, however, was continued till Friday in order to learn his wife's condition.

There were three first offenders who were fined $2 each and one simple drunk was released.

Take a walk to the Lowell Highlands and see the lots to be sold on Saturday, April 9th, at public auction.

Midnight Sons, Prescott hall, tonight.

CIVIL SERVICE

Candidates Get Place on Eligible List

The following persons successfully passed the recent civil service examinations at city hall for the foreman and janitor service, the names follow in order of rank: Foreman, water dept., Jeremiah D. Sullivan and William F. Hunt; foreman, street department, John G. Gordon, John J. Mullaney, Frank E. Stowell, Joseph F. Plunkett, Wallace N. Williams and James F. Morrison; for the janitor service, Omer J. Smith, Charles E. Thornton, Thomas J. McGee, Albra W. Hersome, John Downing, David H. Anglulu, Frederick J. Tompkins and William H. Tyler.

Of the 68 applicants who took the recent clerical examination, 23 passed, the three highest on the men's list being James J. Reynolds, Roy W. Greenleaf and Horace C. O. Landry; the three highest on the women's list being Julia G. Slattery, Mary H. Downey and Catherine C. McCarthy.

MOTHER'S CLAIM

Says that Her Daughter Was Hypnotized

FITCHBURG, April 5.—Miss Irene Cochlin, aged 16, and William L. Ladue aged 18, walked into the home of the bride's mother yesterday and told her they had been married.

Mrs. Cochlin was not pleased with the announcement and ordered Ladue to leave her house. He tried to have the girl accompany him, but her mother refused to permit it.

Ladue later called at the police station and told Chief Thayer that his wife was being restrained in her home against her will. Chief Thayer learned from Ladue that he married Irene Cochlin at the city hall Saturday afternoon, the ceremony being performed by City Clerk Walter A. Davis. Ladue gave his age as 21 years and that of the girl as 18.

The police refused to interfere. Ladue was informed that the marriage was illegal unless he could prove he had secured the consent of the bride's mother.

Mrs. Cochlin later called upon Chief Thayer and told him that her daughter was only 16 years old. She said that she would refuse to allow her to live with Ladue, and that she intended to file a petition in the superior court asking that the marriage be annulled.

Mrs. Cochlin said her daughter appeared to be suffering from morphine or some other drug.

She said she had talked with her daughter about the marriage, and the girl said Ladue had hypnotized her. Her daughter, she added, returned to her home after the ceremony, and the couple kept the marriage a secret until the announcement yesterday.

FOR ORPHANAGE

MUSICALE TO BE GIVEN IN AID OF ST. PETER'S INSTITUTION

A musicale will be given at the residence of Mr. Lucius Paulint, 101 Livingston avenue, tomorrow afternoon, at 4.30 o'clock, in aid of St. Peter's orphanage. The affair is being arranged by the Ladies' sewing circle of the orphanage and the program will embrace solos by Miss Gertrude Kelcher, the talented soprano soloist of St. Peter's church choir, and selections by a Tel-Electric player piano. Miss Mary C. Reilly will act as accompanist.

Midnight Sons, Prescott hall, tonight.

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NEW MILK DEPOT



THE NURSE IN CHARGE GIVING ADVICE TO A MOTHER.

First Step Towards Fighting Infant Mortality in Summer

The milk depot in Market street is open for business. Yesterday was opening day and while the rush was not very great, quite a number of mothers with babies in their arms called during the afternoon. Miss Lindsay, the nurse in charge, has five or six mothers on her list who will become regular customers and it is expected that the depot will be a pretty busy place when its work has been demonstrated.

The event which is to be known as "Guild Day," and which is to be devoted to the collecting of money in house to house visits by the members of the Guild, is set for Tuesday, April 26.

To make the occasion doubly impressive the Guild committee in charge of the work has asked Mayor Meehan to ring the fire bells on the afternoon of "Guild Day" during the hour that the fair collectors will be at work. Every person in Lowell will have received two or three days before, an envelope in which is to be placed a contribution, and these envelopes are expected to be ready for the collectors when they make their return visit during the hour of bell ringing.

The city has been divided into districts for the special campaign to raise funds to carry on the work, and each of the six districts has a representative who will look after her assigned section, with the assistance of the other members residing in the district she is expected to cover. Mrs. E. S. Hylan will have charge of the Highlands district; Mrs. E. B. Carney, from city hall, through Pawtucketville; Miss Marian Stott, Belvidere; Miss Minnie Walsh, Centralville; Mrs. J. Harry Boardman, the down-town district.

Just one baby was weighed yesterday and its weight recorded by Dr. Lambert who conducted the first conference. At the second conference to be held next week the baby will be again weighed, and the formula continued or changed as may seem necessary to the physician. Dr. Lambert prescribed the formula for the baby yesterday.

The room where the conferences are held, and where the modified milk is distributed, has been thoroughly renovated, and is white, clean and sanitary.

STILL FRIENDLY

No Change in the Roosevelt-Taft Relations

WASHINGTON, April 5.—Members of congress discussed with a good deal of animation yesterday the report from Naples that the relations between President Taft and his predecessor were strained and that Mr. Roosevelt no longer considered that he was bound to stand sponsor for Mr. Taft or to assist him to secure another nomination.

Efforts were made to obtain either a confirmation or denial of these reports at the White House, but the president would not notice them; no one else was authorized to talk about them, and so far as can be learned, the president did not refer to the matter in conversation with any one of his visitors yesterday.

Public men as a rule are not inclined to place much reliance in the story, or at any rate they prefer to withhold their opinion until they know more definitely the truth. They expect that the situation will rapidly develop after the return of Mr. Roosevelt to this country and then they will know positively whether the old intimacy exists or there is a break between the two men.

It is known that there has been no correspondence between the president and Mr. Roosevelt since the latter sailed from New York. This, it was pointed out yesterday by one of Mr. Roosevelt's friends, does not necessarily imply that the relations between the two men are not as friendly as they once were, because each has been able to keep in touch with the other through mutual friends. "Had Mr. Roosevelt frequently written to Mr. Taft," this man said, "it would of course have been known and it would at once have been said that Mr. Roosevelt was giving Mr. Taft advice and trying to run his administration. Mr. Roosevelt has done the sensible thing in keeping hands off and not in the slightest way interfering in Washington affairs."

On the other hand it is commented on as curious that while Mr. Roosevelt has not written to Mr. Taft and Mr. Taft has been equally remiss in his correspondence, Mr. Roosevelt has found time frequently to write to Senator Lodge, Senator Root, Mr. Loeb and other intimate friends.

It is believed here that through these various correspondents Mr. Roosevelt has kept pretty close in touch with politics in this country.

The general belief is that when Mr. Roosevelt comes back he will give his indorsement to the administration, and it is in that belief that public men are awaiting his return.

It is certainly the hope of Mr. Taft's friends, who frankly say that a quarrel between the two men would be an unfortunate thing not only for the republican party, but for Mr. Roosevelt as well as Mr. Taft.

NEW WAGE SCHEDULE

NEW YORK, April 5.—The Erie railroad has settled upon a new schedule of wages with its engineers. An increase has been granted which maintains the same differential in wages which has heretofore existed on the Erie in comparison with other competing lines. It was said that in reaching the agreement the men took into consideration the financial condition of the Erie and did not stand out for the highest range of wages which have been granted on other lines.

WESTON'S WALK

HAMMOND, Ind., April 5.—Edward Payson Weston, pedestrian, last night when he quit for the day had made good progress on what he called the home stretch of his tour from Los Angeles to New York. He reached Hobart, Ind., before midnight.

125 EMPLOYES OUT

BERLIN, N. H., April 5.—Fifty employes of the International Paper Co.'s mills here today joined those who struck yesterday in support of a demand for restoration of a 10 per cent. cut in wages. Fifteen of the strikers returned to work. In all 125 men are out.

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LOWELL'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER

THE UNION BANK

Doors of Brooklyn Institution Were Closed This Morning

NEW YORK, April 5.—The doors of the Union bank of Brooklyn were closed this morning. The bank has seven branches. O. H. Cheney, state superintendent of banks, has taken possession of the bank.

The assets and liabilities of the bank have not been made known. Supt. Cheney has issued the following statement:

"As a result of an examination of the Union bank of Brooklyn by the banking department a meeting of its directors was held Monday evening at the office of this department to consider whether the bank was not in an unsafe condition because of certain of its assets, for the character of which the present management is not responsible.

"After deliberation the board reached the conclusion that the bank should not continue its business. The board, accordingly, requested its officers to take action. In pursuant with provisions in the baking law the superintendent has taken possession of the corporation."

The president of the Union bank of Brooklyn is Edward M. Grout, former comptroller of the city of New York. The bank has a capitalization of $1,000,000 with deposits of over $5,000,000.

Supt. Cheney would not indicate whether the bank's difficulties had been caused by bad loans or indifferent investments. He said that a statement would probably be forthcoming after a further examination of the bank books had been made.

The Union bank took over the business of the Mechanics & Traders bank of Manhattan which closed over two years ago.

The bank's predicament had little affect on the stock exchange as the institution was said to be only a small lender of money on stock exchange collateral.

ANTI-OPTION BILL

WASHINGTON, April 5.—A substitute anti-option bill incorporating only the provisions of the old bill relating to cotton exchanges was introduced in the house today by Chairman Scott of the committee on agriculture after an agreement to approve his measure had been reached by the sub-committee having the bill in charge.

EX-PRES. ROOSEVELT

Calls Off the Reception to the American Colony

ROME, April 5.—Mr. Roosevelt was not in his happiest mood today. His wish that the vatican audience incident be regarded as personal to him had not been respected and he was intensely annoyed.

About the first thing that the former president did today was to call off the reception to the members of the American colony which had been set for tomorrow night. This action can be traced directly to the issuance yesterday of a statement by Rev. B. M. Tipple, pastor of the American Methodist church in which opportunity was taken for an attack upon the Roman church. Mr. Roosevelt does not propose to be used by any one to the disparagement of anyone else.

Rev. Mr. Tipple called upon Mr. Roosevelt yesterday and upon his departure made public a statement in which he lifted the vatican episode out of the realm of the personal and gave it a world-wide significance.

The statement in full was shown to Mr. Roosevelt today when he said:

"I had made no arrangements to speak at any church or clerical organization in Rome. I have received a number of gentlemen of all religious faiths who have called at my rooms or at the American embassy.

"Under the circumstances I have requested the American ambassador not to hold the reception which he had intended to hold Wednesday afternoon.

"As regards all efforts by whomsoever made to bring about and inflame religious animosities because of what has occurred in connection with the vatican and myself, I can do no more than to refer to the emphatic statements contained in my open letter to Dr. Lyman Abbott, already published.

"All that I there said I desire to reiterate with my whole power."

Mr. Leishman, the American ambassador, had arranged the reception at the American embassy in order that Mr. Roosevelt might meet the Americans in Rome regardless of their religious faith, upon the neutral ground of the embassy. The appearance, however, of Mr. Tipple's statement displeased many American Catholics who forthwith manifested an intention of abandoning their purpose to attend the reception if the Methodists of the organization represented by Mr. Tipple were to be present. The matter was carried to Mr. Roosevelt who, after hearing both sides, promptly asked Mr. Leishman to cancel the whole affair. This was done.

The sensation caused by the determination of Mr. Roosevelt not to be received by the pope upon the terms made by Cardinal Merry del Val continues unabated. The press today is filled with columns on the subject. The papers of all shades of political opinion with the exception of the clerical organs support Mr. Roosevelt's attitude. Some of the violent anti-clerical sheets intimate that the affair may result in the downfall of the papal secretary. These papers apparently are trying to arouse a great anti-clerical demonstration to be made at the railroad station when Mr. Roosevelt leaves the city on Wednesday night.

None of these partisan movements has the sympathy of Mr. Roosevelt, who is exceedingly put out that a personal incident should have incited an exhibition of that very religious hostility which he so greatly deprecates.

ARREST IN SPRINGFIELD CASE

SPRINGFIELD, April 5.—Bertram G. Spencer, a clerk, aged 28 years, was arrested on suspicion today in connection with the murder last Thursday night of Miss Martha Blackstone. A search of his home in West Springfield by the police disclosed two black silk masks, some loaded revolvers, small quantities of jewelry and other articles of an incriminating nature.

Spencer, although not actually charged with the murder of Miss Blackstone, was taken to the police station where he was held for possible identification. A number of persons whose homes have been entered within the past few months were requested by the authorities to call at the police station to see if they could identify Spencer as having been connected with the breaks in their homes.

Spencer's arrest was brought about by three private detectives employed by the citizens' cooperative committee, an organization which was formed immediately after the Blackstone murder and which raised a fund of five thousand dollars for purposes of investigation.

Since beginning their investigations into the murder the detectives found a locket which was picked up on the street. This locket bore the initials "B. G. S." and within it were pictures of Spencer's mother and sister. The initials and the pictures brought the investigation to Spencer's home, 476 Porter avenue, West Springfield, and the young man was taken into custody this morning. The announcement of his detention was not made until several hours later.

The authorities claim that Spencer answers the description of the man who murdered Miss Blackstone and seriously wounded Miss Dow in the latter's home on Round Hill Thursday night. Spencer was formerly a railroad brakeman but for some time recently he had been employed as a receiving clerk in a local meat packing establishment.

WERE TWICE MARRIED

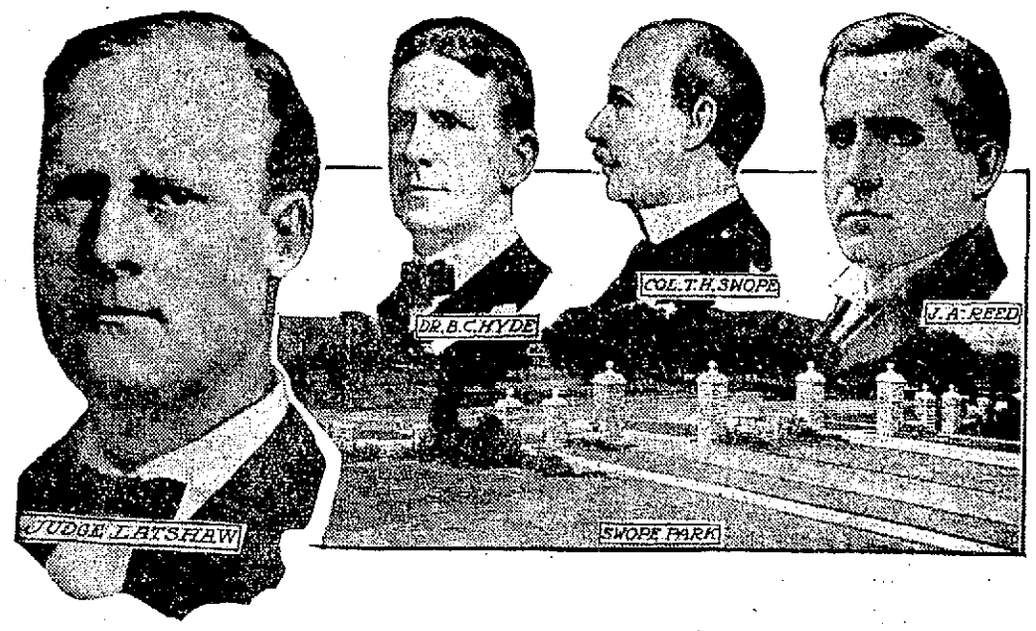
Woonsocket Couple Principals in Strange Ceremony

WOONSOCKET, R. I., April 5.—William Stearns and Miss Beatrice Booth, well known young people of this city, were twice married yesterday, once legally and once socially. The legal marriage was performed in a carriage in the middle of the highway on Harris avenue in Blackstone just over the Massachusetts side of the Rhode Island line, and the social marriage took place at the home of the bride's parents in this city.

It was the desire of the Booth family that the marriage ceremony of their daughter should be performed by Rev. James Church Alvord of Hopedale, Mass., for many years a close friend of the Booth family, and it was also desired that Rev. Mr. Alvord alone should conduct the marriage service. Now the laws of Rhode Island do not allow a clergyman from another state to perform a marriage ceremony unassisted and in order to make the marriage perfectly legal the bridal couple and the clergyman drove across the boundary line into Massachusetts, where the clergyman simply said: "I legally pronounce you man and wife."

An hour later in the presence of many invited guests, a second ceremony was performed at the Booth home. This service satisfied all the demands of conventionality and at the conclusion Rev. Mr. Alvord announced "I pronounce you man and wife in the church."

SWOPE PARK AND PRINCIPALS IN KANSAS CITY'S FAMOUS MURDER TRIAL



KANSAS CITY, April 5.—The trial of Dr. B. C. Hyde, accused of the murder of Colonel Thomas H. Swope, will begin April 11. Dr. Hyde has been at liberty under $100,000 bail. The case will be tried before Judge R. S. Latshaw, and the representatives of Colonel Swope's estate have engaged the best legal talent that money could secure, while Dr. Hyde with his wife's and his own fortune have scoured Missouri for lawyers famous for their ability. The trial promises to be one of the most sensational ever tried in this country. While Dr. Hyde will be tried for the murder of Colonel Swope, who was many times a millionaire and gave Swope park to this city, he has been accused of causing the death of Christian Swope and the serious illness of other members of the Swope family. Dr. Hyde was indicted by the grand jury for administering typhoid fever germs to Colonel Swope.

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BOTH ARE DEAD

Two Men Figured in Tragedy at Trenton, N. J.

TRENTON, N. J., April 5.—A tragedy in which a man was accidentally shot dead, followed by the suicide of the man who fired the fatal shot, occurred early today on the platform of the Philadelphia & Reading railway station at Trenton Junction about five miles from this city.

The man shot dead was Frank Fracella, a cab driver, and the suicide was John Connolly, a railroad watchman. These men, with a railroad detective and the station telegraph operator, were standing on the station platform.

Connolly had two revolvers, one empty. He was showing them to Fracella, the two witnesses say, and had remarked: "How would you like to get a lead from this one?" when the weapon was discharged and Fracella fell dead. It is believed Connolly thought he was exhibiting the empty revolver to the cabdriver.

Connolly, panic-stricken, started to run. The detective and the telegraph operator started after him when Connolly suddenly stopped, placed the revolver to his head and fired. He died instantly. The public prosecutor was notified and after an investigation concluded that the tragedy had occurred as related by the two witnesses.

BAY STATE MILITIA

Will Not Engage in War Game This Year

There will be no war game for the Massachusetts militia this year, according to a statement given out at the adjutant-general's office at the state house yesterday.

Of all the Massachusetts regiments the only one to favor the war game is Colonel Sullivan's regiment, the "Fighting Ninth."

"Already the state militia has had sufficient practice in the general line of great maneuvers. What the men need now is a drilling in the detail of the work and individual instruction. Why, there are men participating in the general manoeuvers who know practically nothing of military courtesy, who don't know even how to salute an officer."

This is the reason as expressed by Capt. Simonds, assistant to the adjutant-general, for the decision in favor of regimental camps.

Colonel John J. Sullivan of the Ninth Regiment differs in his opinion and the Ninth will go to Pine Plains in August to participate with the regulars and militia from other states in a great war game.

"The place for a training in detail and in military courtesy is the armory," Colonel Sullivan said yesterday. "War is not a competition in courtesy. The details of the work are essential, of course. But they can be taught in the armory and are incidental. What the men need is the training that would enable them to take care of themselves in the field.

Favors War Game

"In the rush and hardship of the war maneuvers little time is given to teaching military courtesy, it is true. But the men learn how to make camp, how to cook and take care of themselves and their equipment under war-like conditions.

"The war maneuvers are carried on in connection with troops from the regular army. The association with those men is a great benefit. The game is conducted by regular army officers, and if they don't know how to conduct it, who does?

"Curtis Guild, Jr., in his editorial characterized the Ninth as consisting of men who worked with their hands. I don't like that particularly. The personnel of the Ninth would average about the same, or a little better, than that of the other regiments of the state. Most of the men are clerks and artisans earning good pay. The work with the hands part is perhaps supposed to indicate a lack of brain capacity for thinking about things.

Need Field Experience

"Most of the men have as many demands on their time as other men. Their service is from a sense of duty and interest. In the ranks are more Spanish war men and seasoned men than in other regiments in the state.

"My point though, is this: Men who are confined to the city need the experience in the field. If the same men year after year it might be well to go through a course of training in detail. But they don't serve for any great number of years and what is needed is the training that would enable those men to go into the field and know how to take care of themselves.

"Men who are good in the armory and on dress parade are frequently failures in the field. Their theories avail them nothing when actually tried out. In time of war I think an officer would overlook a man's deficiency in saluting with exact precision if he were always in at the finish and knew how to do his work."

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SUIT FOR $20,000

Is Entered Against Lady Cook

NEW YORK, April 5.—Tennessee Claflin Cook, known as Lady Cook, the prominent worker for equal suffrage here and abroad, is the defendant in a $20,000 suit brought by Harry C. Silver, her former press agent, for breach of contract.

Justice Blanchard yesterday granted an application made by Silver for the appointment of a commission to take the testimony of relatives and friends of Lady Cook abroad. He claims that Lady Cook violated an agreement by which he was to write her biography. Lady Cook's answer is a general denial.

Sir Frederick Cook, son of Sir Francis Cook, Lady Cook's deceased husband; Lady Oakley of Tunbridge Wells, Mrs. Holyrod Chapman, Dr. and Mrs. Charles E. Wells and Mrs. John B. Martin are the persons whom the commission is authorized to examine.

Silver's claim is that Lady Cook offered to buy 20,000 copies of the biography at $1 a copy in addition to paying the expenses of collecting the material and publication. He alleges that while collecting material in London, Paris and other foreign cities he met Sir Frederick Cook and talked with him about the project.

Mrs. Wells, Lady Cook's adopted niece, told Silver, according to his affidavit, that she and her sister, Mrs. Thompson, had planned to write Lady Cook's biography, but had been prevented by the illness of Mrs. Thompson. She said that Lady Cook had told her, Silver continues, that she was willing to pay $50,000 for a good biography.

When Silver went to see Mrs. Martin, Lady Cook's sister, in London, and sent word to her that he was writing her sister's biography, Silver says Mrs. Martin sent her butler with the reply: "Go ahead, and don't bother me."

Lots to be sold in Lowell Highlands on Saturday, April 9th, are on graded streets, have water, sewers, sidewalks, and are well lighted.

FIRST DAY'S PRACTICE

Lowell Base Ball Team at Spalding Park Yesterday

"Old Phenom" John Smith came to town yesterday and went right to work at Spalding park with those of the recruits who had arrived early. John intended to have King Kelly, the old Manchester catcher, to work out with the boys for a few weeks and King got as far as the depot in Manchester all ready to come south. He had his worldly effects in a suit case which he left in the depot. As the train was about to start the King went to get his suit case when he discovered to his sorrow that some one had swapped with him and had given him the short end of the swap. Thus Smith came to Lowell alone while when last heard from Kel was still looking for the suit case while the air in his vicinity was bluer than the smoke that curls from Manchester's celebrated product with the long filler and Sumatra wrapper.

John made the boys present work out lightly for an hour or more and had his pitchers doing a little limbering up. In one corner of the field W. D. Jones, the Lowell outfielder, had the High school recruits practising with Principal Irish as a spectator.

The members of the Lowell team who practised were Mosher, the California pitcher who is a player of more experience than most of the bunch; Blackwell, the Pennsylvania South paw and Feister and Schaub, the pitchers from the Philadelphia Nationals, Reardon of Portland and Reilly of Georgetown, Tyler, the pitcher, batted the ball around but didn't do any twirling. Joseph Gerstenfeld, the third baseman from Philadelphia, was present but did little work as he recently had an abscess on his arm lanced. Fraser, a first baseman from South Boston, showed up well at the bat. Frank Lemke of Trenton, N. J. was present. He is also a candidate for first base. Catcher Burke from Waverly, a very promising backstop, was present. The other catchers have not yet arrived. They are Hustan, Stone of Bates college and Conrad of California. Van Zant has been released as Manager Gray thought that he could make a selection from the other four.

FIVE LOWELL BOYS

Started Out on a Trip to See the World

MEDFORD, April 5.—Patrolman James H. Kane rounded up five Lowell boys, ranging from 13 to 16 years of age, yesterday afternoon in the South Medford district. The policeman's attention was attracted to the quintet by their wandering through several streets. He stopped them and they frankly said they were from Lowell and that they had left home early in the morning. They asked him the way to Charlestown and the elevated railroad announcing their ambition to see the world. They were given a free ride to the police station where the youngsters gave their names and residences.

They appeared rather scared and expressed a desire to return home and cut short their trip of exploration and discovery. They would not tell, however, how they got to Medford.

The Lowell police were notified and arrangements made to have the father of one of the boys take the wanderers home. The boys are Henry Winn, aged 16, of 21 Webster street; Paul Coleman, aged 13, 32 Webster street; Thomas P. Coyle, aged 13, 34 Webster street; Alexander Mack, aged 13, 387 Central street, and Charles Carroll, aged 13, of 30 Ellis street. The boys were given a good supper and allowed to explore the cell room at the Medford police station.

ECZEMA—A GERM DISEASE—CAN NOW BE CURED.

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CARNEGIE TALKS

Tells Young Men How to Pick a Wife

PITTSBURG, April 5.—Neither Mrs. nor Mr. Carnegie have much sympathy for the cause of woman suffrage. "Pick for your wife the girl who takes care of her mother, the girl who is useful in the household and does not make the most show in the ball room," counseled the laird of Skibo to the young men at his technical school last evening.

"The Margaret Morrison schools do more good than all the fights for women's rights," said Mrs. Carnegie in addressing the girls' department of the technical schools.

The steel master also gave the boys this epigramatic counsel:

"Woman raises man to the highest standard.

"My mother and wife made me all I am.

"All depends upon the proper mating of man and woman.

"The ambition to become a millionaire is low.

"To be of service to your fellow man is the greatest ideal.

"Honest parentage is the most valued heritage.

"I don't expect to fly until natural wings sprout from my shoulders.

"It is good to develop the body as well as the mind."

JACK JOHNSON

Found Not Guilty by a Jury

CHICAGO, April 5.—Jack Johnson was not granted his request for two negroes on the jury that heard the testimony in his trial for automobile speeding yesterday before Judge Scovel in the municipal court but the twelve Caucasians who sat in judgment proved satisfactory to the champion by promptly returning a verdict of not guilty.

"They saved me the trouble of going up to the supreme court with the case" said John. "I am not going to have the police put it all over me all the time just because I'm a well known person. If I ran around and got drunk and gambled the cops ought to pinch me, but I'm a good family man and behave myself like a gentleman. If everyone was like me it would be a good world."

TREASURY DEPT.

Construes the Law of Free Entry

WASHINGTON, April 5.—In construing the law admitting to free entry of household effects the treasury department has made some rulings of general interest.

Horses, carriages, sleighs, harness and saddles, automobiles, guns, canoes, boats and similar articles are not entitled to free entry as household effects nor articles used abroad in business pursuits such as office safes and office furniture. Material for tablecloths, napkins, curtains not made up into such articles are not household effects. Effects of the household which have been used abroad a year or more, the owner of which has died after arriving in this country, may be admitted free on exhibiting to customs officials letters of administration. A bequest of household effects from a relative abroad to a person in the United States is not free of duty unless the deceased was a citizen of this country.

Articles subject to duty found among the effects of a person arriving in the United States which were not at the time of making the entry mentioned to the collector of customs are subject to forfeiture and the owner is liable to a penalty of treble their value.

CONTRACTS AWARDED

ALBANY, April 5.—The state highway commission has awarded, among others, the following contracts for the improvement of public highways by state aid:

Highway number 683, Dryden-Cortland, Tompkins county, 3.57 miles, awarded to James McCormick of East Providence, R. I. for $38,444.

Midnight Sons, Prescott hall, tonight.

HELD IN $2000

Men Charged With Trying to Wreck Car

HAVERHILL, April 5.—John Selcek, alias Selza, and Kosharnus Kalos, were each held in $2000 by Judge Fuller yesterday on the charge of attempting to wreck an electric car on the Lawrence division of the New Hampshire electric railway. They are Poles and were arrested last night on the Lawrence line as they were running away after the motorman of a car had discovered a pile of rocks on the tracks.

A party of Haverhill and Lawrence Poles attended a wedding Thursday in the outskirts of the city and were refused passage on a car as the road officials had issued strict orders forbidding the carrying of intoxicated people.

One electric was stoned, the rocks crashing through the windows, the passengers escaping unhurt. Later an attempt was made to wreck another car, the two accused men being caught running away. They denied all knowledge of the rocks on the tracks, claiming that others were responsible.

DURGIN WINS

THE COURT'S DECISION MAKES HIM AN ALDERMAN

AUBURN, Me., April 5.—Judge Savage rendered his decision yesterday in the contested election case in ward 2, Lewiston, which was heard by him last Friday. He finds that Linwood S. Durgin, the republican candidate, was elected by a vote of 226 to 224 for John J. Curran, democrat. The result announced by the ward officers on the night of the election gave the victory to Curran by a vote of 229 to 227 and the board of aldermen at their recount gave Curran 227 and Durgin 229.

Judge Savage holds that the board of aldermen had no right to recount the votes, so their action was not considered by him. The votes in the ballot box were counted by the attorneys for Mr. Durgin and Mr. Curran in Judge Savage's presence Friday and it was agreed that Mr. Durgin had 223 and Mr. Curran 222 votes that were not disputed.

It was also agreed that 10 others were defective and 14 votes were left to Judge Savage to pass upon as to their validity. He counted three for Mr. Durgin and two for Mr. Curran and declared the other nine defective. He gave Mr. Durgin judgment for costs of the petition.

Mr. Curran has not yet decided whether to appeal to the law court or not. The substitution of Mr. Durgin for Mr. Curran in the board of aldermen will not change the political complexion of the board, which will have four democrats and three republicans.

NOTABLE CEREMONY

AT CHRISTENING OF DI PALMA BABY IN ROME

The christening of the little son of Hon. Frederico di Palma and Agnes Williams di Palma took place at the home of his parents in Rome, Sunday afternoon, March 20th.

The ceremony was held before an altar erected in one end of the drawing room, decorated with lilies and white iris. Archbishop Marinangeli, Patriarch of Alessandria officiated, assisted by Monsignor Tedeschini.

The godparents were Mrs. Charles M. Williams and Admiral Giuseppe Astuto, the little one receiving the name of his maternal grandfather, Charles M. Williams, in its Italian form, Carlo. About fifty of the more intimate friends of the family witnessed the interesting ceremony.

Among those present were Mr. Thomas H. Nesmith and Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Brown of this city, who happened to be in Rome.

WAGE STATISTICS

Arguments on the Cost of Living

SPRINGFIELD, April 5.—The new state commission on the cost of living, composed of Robert Luce chairman, Edward F. McSweeney, Albion F. Bemis, Medrick J. Laporte and Henry Abrahams, gave a public hearing here yesterday in the common council chamber.

Many well-known citizens appeared and gave testimony bearing upon the cost of labor and material.

Richard A. Hennessey, business agent of the bricklayers' union, said that in 1890 brick masons received $3.75 per day and worked nine hours, while they receive $4.40 a day at present and work only eight hours. The masons average about 200 working days a year and receive $880 a year now against $750 formerly.

W. H. Grady, business agent of the plumbers' and electricians' union, was of the opinion that the pay of laborers has not increased except in the case of persons employed by the city. The average laborer receives $1.50 to $1.75 a day against $2 a day for the city laborer.

W. J. La Francis of the carpenters' union said that because of improvements in machinery the carpentry work on a building which formerly cost about $900, can now be done for about $500. The lowest wages for union carpenters is $3.25 a day for eight hours.

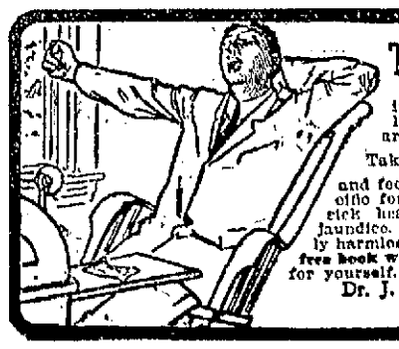
W. H. Clark, a coal dealer of Northampton, claimed that the wholesale price of coal is $1 a ton higher at present than it was eight years ago, while the cost of labor is about 25 per cent. more. These facts together with the increased cost of grain have contributed to reduce the profit on coal, so that the net proceeds are less for the retailer than several years ago.

Commissioner McSweeney said that it had been stated in Boston that the retail coal dealers make a mixture of pea coal and nut coal and sell it for the same prices that they do the nut coal.

Mr. Clark said that this is done usually when coal is sold in small quantities, whereupon Mr. McSweeney asked if this was not cheating the customer. The witness replied he did not think so, as coal in small quantities cannot be sold as cheaply as in large quantities. That is one way, Mr. Clark said, by which the retail coal dealer makes his profit.

DEMOCRATS WON

HELENA, Mont., April 5.—In the city elections in this state yesterday the democratic and independent candidates were generally successful though party lines were not closely drawn.



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NIGHT EDITION

AUTO CARNIVAL

May be Held in This City on Labor Day

In all probability Lowell will be the scene of a monster automobile carnival on Labor Day of this year. The carnival will not last for several days as it did last year, but will consist of a program of seven or eight events, all of which will be pulled off on the holiday.

A number of automobile enthusiasts throughout the city have been trying to interest President John O. Heinze and members of the board of governors of the Lowell Automobile club in the scheme and they have promised their moral as well as financial support, though President Heinze in conversation with the automobile editor of The Sun this afternoon stated that the public would have to become more enthusiastic and show a further expression of desire before he would agree to take any part in the management.

That Lowell has one of the best natural automobile courses in the world is a foregone conclusion, automobile manufacturers, drivers and people in general from all parts of the country being universal in the opinion that Lowell is the ideal spot for races. The carnival held last year was a grand success in many particulars, but there were a number of details in connection with the event which many are of the opinion might have been eliminated and the affair would have been a financial success, but the management of the races ran the carnival on a stupendous plan in order to give the public its money's worth and at the same time care for the many thousands who would be present.

When the arrangements were being made by the board of governors of the automobile club it was expected that they would receive the hearty co-operation of the people of Lowell and Tyngsboro as well as those who witnessed the races, but in this they were mistaken, for thousands of people instead of contributing the paltry sum of 25 cents to witness the biggest automobile event ever held in this country, refused to pay, and that, together with the attitude taken by the Tyngsboro people the auto club has been unable to repay the $10,000 contributed by the citizens of Lowell.

The men who were active in the carnival last year blame the Tyngsboro people for a great deal of the loss. The club improved the roads in Tyngsboro yet when an attempt was made to receive some income during the days of the carnival the plans were frustrated.

Three Mile Course

Now if races are held this year, the Tyngsboro people will have to come to Lowell to see them for the course, instead of being 10.6 miles long will be three miles and the entire course will be within the city limits. The course will include the speedway on the Pawtucket boulevard to the abrupt turn to the right above the lower boulevard pumping station, from there to Varnum avenue, down Varnum avenue to Dunbar avenue, through that short stretch into the boulevard and up the speedway.

Those who have been interesting themselves in the proposed races have been rather skeptical about the abrupt turn from the speedway into the boulevard extension and from the extension into Varnum avenue, but neither one of the turns is any worse than the turns from Varnum avenue into Dunbar ave, and from Dunbar avenue into the boulevard.

The shorter the course the more exciting the races and though it would not be possible to put as many machines on the course as though it were longer, about a dozen machines could be entered in each event and they would pass a given point so rapidly that the events would probably be more interesting than if the course was longer.

Eight Events

There would be seven or eight events, ranging from one to 100 miles. All of the leading drivers of the world would compete for every driver who has ever steered a car over the Merrimack Valley course has intimated that whenever any other events would be held that he would be only too glad to be present.

It would be a very easy matter to secure the sanction of the American Automobile association and though the sanction for the National Stock Chassis competition race might not be given to Lowell, the races, especially the 100 mile event, would be fully as interesting as though it was the national event.

Expenses Would Be Small

While no definite plans have been made as yet, informal arrangements have been discussed and it is the consensus of opinion that if the races are held it would be well to keep the expenses down to as low a sum as possible. There would be no grandstand, no press stand, no pontoon bridge, neither would there be much money expended on the roads as the greater part of the course is in good condition.

It would be necessary, however, to secure a permit from the legislature and another from the city council to conduct the races, but it is doubtful if there would be much opposition to either of these. The people of Lowell have seen two good automobile races and they are anxious to see them annually.

More Enthusiasm is Needed

A little more enthusiasm, however, is needed and if the people will only interest themselves and lend their moral support to the proposed events Lowell will again this year be the scene of automobile races.

TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK MARKET

Stocks	High	Low	Close
Amal Copper	76¾	74⅞	76¾
Am Car & Fn	63	62¼	62⅝
Am Cot Oil	66⅝	66	66⅝
Am Locomo	51½	50⅞	51½
Am Smelt & R	83⅞	81⅝	82⅞
Am Smelt & R pf	106	106	106
Am Sugar Rfn	128⅛	123	128¼
Anaconda	47⅜	46¼	47⅜
Atchison	113½	112¼	113⅜
Atch pf	102½	102½	102½
Balt & Ohio	111⅞	110¾	111⅞
Br Rap Tran	77¾	76¼	77⅜
Canadian Pa	183	182	183
Cast I Pipe	41½	41½	41½
Cent Leather	41⅜	40⅝	41⅜
Cent Leather pf	107⅝	106½	107⅜
Ches & Ohio	86¼	85⅜	86⅛
Chi & Gt W	29½	29½	29½
Col Fuel	39¾	39½	39¾
Consol Gas	142⅝	140¾	142⅛
Den & Rio G	40⅝	40	40⅝
Dis Secur Co	31⅝	31¼	31⅝
Erie	30⅛	29⅞	30⅛
Erie 1st pf	48¾	48	48½
Gen Elec	150	149¼	150
Gt North pf	135¾	135	135¾
Gt No Ore ctf	67½	67	67½
Illinois Cen	139	139	139
Int Met Com	22⅞	22½	22⅞
Int Met pf	58⅝	56¾	58⅞
Int Paper pf	52	52	52
In S Pump Co	43⅛	43⅛	43⅛
I S Pump pf	83	83	83
Iowa Central	23⅛	23⅛	23⅛
Kan City So	36	34⅞	36
K City So pf	66	66	66
Louis & Nash	151	150¼	151
Mexican Cent	28¼	27½	27¾
Missouri Pa	68¾	68¾	68¾
Nat Lead	81	81	81
N Y Central	123	121⅞	122⅞
Nor & West	103⅝	103¼	103⅝
North Pacific	134½	134	134¾
Pennsylvania	135¾	135½	135¾
Pressed Steel	42	42	42
Ry St Sp Co	40	40	40
Reading	166	164	165¾
Rep Iron & S	37	37	37
Rep I & S pf	100	100	100
Rock Is	47¼	46	47¼
Rock Is pf	90¾	90¼	90¾
St L & So'wn	30	29¼	29¾
St L & S'n pf	73½	73¼	73½
St Paul	142⅛	140⅝	142⅛
So Pacific	125½	124⅝	125½
Southern Ry pf	64¾	64¾	64¾
Texas Pac	31⅞	31½	31⅞
Third Ave	7¾	7¾	7¾
Union Pacific	187	184⅝	187
Union Pac pf	97	97	97
U. S. Rub	43½	43¼	43⅜
U S Rub pf	116	115⅜	116
U S Steel	85¼	83⅞	85¼
U S Steel pf	120	119¾	120
U S Steel 6s	104½	104½	104½
Utah Copper	46½	44½	46¼
Wabash R R	21¾	21¾	21¾
Wab R R pf	47¾	46⅛	47
Westinghouse	65½	65	65
Western Un	73	72¾	72¾
Wh & L Erie	5½	5	5½
Wiscon Cen	49	49	49

Cotton Futures

April	14.33
May	14.40 14.23
June	14.26 14.12
July	14.30 14.11
August	13.82 13.63
September	12.96 12.56
October	12.55 12.42
November	13.26
December	12.36 12.27
January	12.30 12.25

STOCK MARKET

CLOSED STRONG AND ACTIVE THIS AFTERNOON

Buying Orders for Several Stocks Were Distributed—Some of the Coppers Made An Advance.

NEW YORK, April 5.—Higher London prices helped to the opening advance in stocks here which run to a point in U. P. and to ⅝ in Atchison. Only a handful of stocks was dealt in and small blocks were all that appeared on the tape.

There was a fair distribution of buying orders which raised most of the standard stocks materially. Union Pacific advanced 1 3-8, U. S. steel and Amn. smelting 1 1-4 and St. Paul, Reading, Atchison, Can. Pac., N. Y. Cent., Amal. copper and Utah copper 1. Some of the minor stocks were weak. Profit taking caused a fractional reaction later.

An attempt by professional operators to move prices upwards was frustrated by the sentimental effect of the heavy engagements of gold for export. The activity of the first hour gave place to semi-stagnant and drooping conditions. Bonds were irregular.

A renewal of liquidation in Federal Mining pfd. caused another drop of 5 1-4, the price going to 55. Otherwise there was no feature in the market.

The market was virtually at a standstill with prices ruling from a slight fraction to over a point above yesterday's closing.

The market closed strong and active. Buying orders were distributed for U. S. steel, U. P. and Reading and the whole list rose in sympathy. U. P. was lifted 2 3-4; Utah copper 2 5-8; Reading and United States steel 2 1-4; Amal. copper, Smelting and Atchison and several others a point or more.

Exchanges and Balances

BOSTON, April 5.—Exchanges, $32,430,088; balances, $2,259,270.

AD MONEY MARKET

Money on call steady, 3 per cent ruling rate 2⅜; last loan 3, closing bid 2¾, offered at 2⅞.

Time loans quiet and easier; sixty days 3¾ per cent. and 90 days 3¾@4 per cent.; six months 4.

Prime mercantile paper 4 1-2@5 per cent. Sterling exchange steady at 484.15@484.30 for 60 day bills and at 487.70 for demand. Commercial bills 483 1-2@484. Bar silver 52 3-8. Mexican dollars 44. Government bonds firm. Railroad bonds irregular.

Spot Cotton

NEW YORK, April 5.—Spot cotton closed quiet, 26 decline. Middling uplands, 14.55; Mid Gulf, 14.80; sales, none.

BOSTON MARKET

Stocks	High	Low	Close
Adventure	6½	6½	6½
Allouez	46	46	46
Am Pneu pf	18⅝	18½	18½
Am Tel & Tel	136½	135¾	136
Am Woolen pf	100½	100	100
American Zinc	26	26	26
Arizona Com	19¾	19	19⅞
Bos & Corbin	13½	13½	13½
Boston & Maine	148	148	148
Butte Coal'n	23⅞	22¾	22¾
Cal & Arizona	67	66	66
Cal & Hecla	590	575	580
Centennial	18	18	18
Copper Range	71⅛	71	71
Daly-West	9½	9¼	9½
Fitchburg pf	128¾	128¾	128¾
Franklin	15¼	15	15
Giroux	8¼	8¼	8¼
Granby	45½	43	45½
Greene-Cananea	9⅝	9⅜	9⅝
Indiana	29	26	27¼
Lake Copper	60	53	57
Mass	7	6½	6½
Mass Electric	18¾	18½	18½
Mass Gas	78⅝	78⅝	78⅝
Miami Cop	23	22⅛	23
Mohawk	52	52	52
Nevada	21½	21⅜	21⅜
North Butte	35½	34	35
Old Dominion	38	37½	37½
Shannon	12	12	12
Superior Copper	44½	44½	44½
Superior & Pitts	13⅜	13½	13½
Swift & Co	105	104¾	105
Tamarack	55	55	55
United Fruit	177¾	172	172⅜
United Sh M	69½	69	69
U S Coal & Oil	36	36	36
U S Smelting	43¼	42½	42½
U S Smelting pf	50	49¾	49¾
Utah-Apex	3½	3½	3½
Utah Cons	29	24½	25
Utah Copper Co	45	45	45
Winona	8	7½	7½
Wolverine	128	128	128

BOSTON CURB MARKET

Stocks	High	Low	Close
Acme Consol	10½	10	10
Amal Nev	11	10½	11
Bay State Gas	26	26	26
Boston Ely	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
Cactus	3¾	3½	3⅝
Davis-Daly	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞
Eclipse Oil	23	20	20
Ely Central	1½	1½	1½
First National	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜
Geyser	2½	2½	2½
Goldfield Cons	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞
La Rose	4¼	4¼	4¼
Majestic	86	86	86
National Explor	40	40	40
Ohio Copper	4⅝	4	4
Oneco	4¼	3⅞	3⅞
R I Coal	9	9	9
Silver Leaf	9	9	9
So Lake	9	8¼	8¼
Union Copper	1¾	1¾	1¾
Vulture	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝

Boston Copper Market

BOSTON, April 5.—There was a bad break in the favorite stocks at the opening of the copper market today. Lake dropped ten points to 53; Indiana 5 points to 26; North Lake 2 to 14½. The rest of the list held fairly firm and a few stocks advanced in sympathy with the strength in New York.

WORCESTER BOY

Says That Strangers Shipped Him Away

BOSTON, April 5.—Claiming he had been thrown into a coal car attached to a moving freight train by two unknown men, Walter L. Granger, 10 years old, of Worcester, was found in a pitiable condition by the station master at Riverside station, Auburndale, late yesterday afternoon.

Young Granger is a son of Arthur Granger, a carpenter, of East Worcester street, Worcester, and says that while on his way to school shortly before 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon he stopped to play with a schoolmate in a freight yard in Worcester. The lad says two strange men came along and, picking him up, carried him a short way and dropped him into a slowly passing freight train. The train quickly gathered speed and, not daring to attempt to get out, the boy was carried to Riverside, the first stop the freight made.

The police were notified and the boy was taken to headquarters at West Newton, where he was cared for. The police are investigating the boy's story. In the meantime Lieut. Soule has him under his care.

"TWIN" SULLIVAN

Gave Sailor Burke a Bad Beating

NEW YORK, April 5.—Jack (Twin) Sullivan, the Boston middleweight, gave Sailor Burke of Brooklyn, a bad beating in a 10 round bout at the Marathon A. C. in Brooklyn last night. Sullivan floored the sailor in the first and eighth rounds with a right to the jaw and had him groggy at several stages of the bout.

PAL MOORE WON

NEW YORK, April 5.—Pal Moore of Philadelphia, who claims the bantamweight championship, had it all his own way last night in a 10 round bout with Willie Jones of Brooklyn, at the Olympic A. C. in Harlem. Jones showed some cleverness but was outclassed.

FOUGHT A DRAW

NEW YORK, April 5.—Porky Flynn of Boston fought 10 rounds to a draw last night with Jim Savage of Orange, N. J., at the National Sporting Club of America. For seven rounds Savage had all the better of the bout but in the eighth Flynn floored him twice and had the better of the contest thereafter. Both men were clumsy and the fight was very rough. Flynn was cautioned several times by the referee and once threatened with dismissal from the ring.

WALSH WON

SCHENECTADY, N. Y., April 5.—Young Britt and Jimmy Walsh danced and hugged through 10 rather slow rounds here last night, Walsh winning the popular decision on points.

DECIDED BREAK

In the Cotton Market Today

NEW YORK, April 5.—There was a very decided break in the cotton market today under general selling, part of which was supposed to reflect the liquidation of the bull campaign in all crop months which had advanced May cotton from 13.50 to 15.16 between the middle of last January and the end of March. May today sold off to 14.24 and July to 14.02 or 26 to 37 points below the closing figure of last night, while Sept. declined to 12.33 or a net loss of 27 points with active months generally showing a loss of nearly $5 per bale from the high prices of last week.

This sensational break followed several days of nervous and apprehensive markets. Rains recently reported in the southwest have modified bullish sentiment regarding new crop prospect while rumors have been circulating in trade circles that some of the big interests identified with the bull dealings in May cotton have been liquidating as a result of unfavorable domestic trade accounts and reports that the shorts were bringing cotton here from Liverpool as well as from the south for delivery.

WAGE INCREASE VOTED

BOSTON, April 5.—The officials of the Boston, Revere Beach & Lynn railroad have voted to increase the wages of employes about five per cent, to take effect March 31. The increase was voluntary and is the third voluntary wage advance since 1903, making present wages 20 per cent higher than seven years ago.

THE PARIS RACES

PARIS, April 5.—The Prix D'Orgeval, selling of $600, run at Maisons-Laffitte today was won by Eugene Fischof's Indian Prince. The Prix LaGrange, for three years, $8000, was won by W. K. Vanderbilt's Messidor III.

RAW RUBBER ADVANCED

LONDON, April 5.—The unprecedented price of 12 s 4d a pound was paid for plantation raw rubber at the fortnightly sale in Mincing Lane today. The bidding throughout was brisk.

ATTACK ON PLANT

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 5.—The stemmery of the American Tobacco Co. at 31st and Walnut streets was attacked today by striking stemmers and sympathizers. Charles Jenkins, engineer of the plant, was struck by stones and badly hurt but nobody was fatally injured.

A number of shots were fired and several windows were broken.

"RUBE" WADDELL MARRIED

ST. LOUIS, April 5.—George Edward Waddell, pitcher for the St. Louis Americans, and Miss Madge MacDuff of Pattiesburg, Miss., were married last night. Waddell recently obtained a divorce from his first wife, a Boston woman.

Bright, Sears & Co.
BANKERS AND BROKERS
Wyman's Exchange
SECOND FLOOR

HOLE IN GLOVE

Caused the Death of a Lineman

BOSTON, April 5.—Unaware that there was a break in his rubber glove, Michael Clancy, a lineman in the employ of the Edison Electric Illuminating company, started to repair a live wire at the corner of Humboldt ave., and Brockledge street, Roxbury, at 2 o'clock, yesterday afternoon, and touching the wire with a metal tool, which he held in the supposedly safely enshrouded hand, sustained a shock of about 4600 volts, death being instantaneous.

The body fell to the sidewalk with a thud, the sight causing two women, who were passing, to swoon. The lifeless body was carried to a nearby dwelling and a physician summoned. One glance was sufficient to tell the doctor that life had departed.

An examination of Clancy's glove showed that there was a small hole, caused by wear, between the thumb and fore-finger and it was through this tiny aperture that the electricity raced causing the lineman to lose control of his arms and fall forward onto the wire. He apparently straightened when his body came in contact with the wire and tumbled backward and to the sidewalk, a distance of twenty feet.

The body was removed to the city hospital morgue. Clancy was 40 years of age and single. He boarded with Mrs. Mary Burke at 70 Zeigler street and leaves a brother, John, in Springfield.

RECORD MAN

WAS ARRESTED BY THE BOSTON POLICE

BOSTON, April 5.—Ernest D. Blackwell, who holds the undisputed record of being arrested more times than any other man in Boston, is again in the custody of the local police. Headquarters men have long since got tired, they say, of keeping tabs on the number of times that Blackwell has been arrested, but venture that 50 times in 15 years would be a conservative estimate.

Blackwell is a petty offender. Passing worthless checks for small amounts, small business chance frauds, larceny, non-support of his wife and wife-beating are some of the charges that he has been arrested upon. Charged with passing three worthless checks, aggregating $11.77, landed him in a cell yesterday.

COBB RESOLUTION

IN CONGER CASE WILL NOT BE ACTED UPON

ALBANY, N. Y., April 5.—Senator Ben Conger's voluntary withdrawal from the senate last night made it unnecessary for the judiciary committee to act today on the Cobb resolution providing for the appointment of a committee to draw up charges against ex-Senator Allds' accuser as a result of the disclosures made during the bribery investigaiton.

Conger had asked to be heard in his own behalf and the committee had fixed today at 10 a. m. as the time for hearing what he might have to say.

JIM JEFFRIES

STARTED FOR HIS TRAINING CAMP TODAY

SAN FRANCISCO, April 5.—"I have been practically in training for this fight for a year," said Jim Jeffries today before starting for his training camp in the Santa Cruz mountains, "and I know pretty well by this time what I can do. The weight is not bothering me in the least. I am going to be fit when I enter the ring. For all the work I have done I expect to spend a hard three months in the Santa Cruz mountains. I can stand the training and I want to be absolutely perfect. I have not said that this fellow Johnson would be tough or that he would be easy. You can't tell about those matters."

TEXTILES SHOWED WELL

The Textile school first and freshmen teams crossed bats on the campus yesterday afternoon, the first team winning by a score of 11 to 2. For an opener both teams put up a good game and gave great promise of good work later.

The lineup: First team—Murray, Hartford, p; Thaxter, c; North, 1b; Hardy, 2b; Gale ss; Phillips, 3b; Jefferson, lf; Daw, cf; Wise, rf.

Freshmen—Keough, p; Frost, c; Crane, Casey, 1b; Munroe, 2b; Niven, ss; Miner, 3b; Coan, lf; Hastings, cf; Clarke, rf.

CONKLIN WON BILLIARD GAME

NEW YORK, April 5.—Charles F. Conklin, of the Chicago Athletic association, a former national champion, won the opening game of the annual tournament of the National Association of Amateur Billiard players at the Hamilton club, Brooklyn, last night. His opponent was Dr. Walter E. Uffenheimer of Philadelphia, and the final score was 400 to 243. The game was 400 points up, 18.2 balk line, anchor barred, and each man reached his 52nd inning before the game was decided. Conklin did not get good control of the ivories until the 42nd inning, when he made a run of 69.

TWO BURGLARS

WERE SCARED AWAY BY A NEWTON GIRL

NEWTON, April 5.—Two burglars were scared from the home of C. P. Kelly, 28 Bowdoin street, Newton Highlands, early yesterday morning by a youthful maid, who chased the two desperadoes with a broomstick.

The servant, Miss Cecilia Gallagan, heard a noise in the lower floors of the house and seizing a cut-off broom handle that she keeps by her bedside, she walked bravely down the stairs.

Observing two burglars in the act of putting some jewelry in a bag she cried "police!" and rushed at them, brandishing the stick.

The two intruders took to their heels and, leaping through an open window in the dining-room, disappeared in the darkness. Neighbors were awakened by the cries of the maid and came to aid her. The thieves escaped in the woods behind the house.

The police believe that the men are the same men who entered the home of Fred O. Loveland on Elmwood street last week, and stole $200 worth of jewelry. The operations of these two burglars are peculiar, inasmuch as they take nothing but jewelry.

EARLE FOUND DEAD

He Committed Suicide in Emergency Hospital by Taking Gas

Martin Earle, aged about 45 years, was found dead in bed in a room at the Emergency hospital in Tyler street shortly before eight o'clock this morning. Death was due to gas poisoning, Earle having deliberately ended his life by inhaling gas through a tube which he had attached to a gas bracket on the side of the wall. Death must have occurred some time between eight o'clock and midnight last night, though it seems to be rather strange that the body was not discovered until eight o'clock this morning.

It is thought that Earle brooding over marital troubles and an affliction from which he was suffering decided to end his life.

When found in bed this morning a gas tube which had been used on a sterilizing tank in the operating room on the floor below was found wound twice around the man's head. One of the ends was attached to the gas jet while the other was inserted in his mouth and Earle's lifeless hand was holding the tube in position.

The body was removed to the funeral parlors of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

Had Been Despondent

Last spring while working for a man named Eaton near Golden Cove in Chelmsford, he received a fracture of two ribs and went to the Emergency hospital for treatment. He had but very little money at the time and after he was able to go about he asked Dr. Will Corbett McLean, of the Emergency hospital if he could not stay around there and do chores for his keeping. The doctor was willing and kept him for quite a while, but when Earle started drinking, Dr. McLean told the man he would have to leave the place.

Earle then secured a job in the Massachusetts mills, but lost it as a result of overindulgence in liquor.

Last Friday Earle called at the hospital and told the doctor he was feeling ill and needed treatment. Examination showed that the man was suffering from a hernia. He was receiving treatment, but was able to do odd jobs about the place and Dr. McLean knowing that if the man would not drink he would be a handy person around the hospital decided to allow him to remain there.

Sunday the man seemed to be greatly improved and yesterday he was apparently all right other than that he had several crying spells.

Dr. McLean who is a professor at Tufts college, in Medford, arrived in Lowell last night on the 8.08 train, and going to the hospital asked how Earle was feeling. He was told that Earle had retired about 7.30 o'clock. Inasmuch as Earle occupied a room next to the bathroom and that the latter room had been visited several times during the night by different persons and nothing out of the ordinary was noticed his room was not visited until this morning.

Dead For Hours

Shortly before eight o'clock this morning one of the attendants at the hospital went to Earle's room for the purpose of ascertaining why he had not been down to breakfast and upon entering the room found him lying in bed with the gas tube in his mouth. Life was extinct and probably had been for a number of hours.

The hospital authorities say that Earle has a wife living in Chelmsford and has a son, Edward, and a daughter, Edith, living in this city.

RUSSELL CASE

CAMBRIDGE, April 5.—The closing argument in favor of the estate of the late Daniel Russell of Melrose and in opposition to the claims of the North Dakota ranchman who says he is Daniel Blake Russell was made at the forenoon session of the probate court today by Robert Nason.

The spectators crowded the courtroom, some of them reaching the court house as early as 5 o'clock.

Mr. Nason began his address by paying particular attention to the life of the claimant as disclosed by the evidence. Today he paid his respects to the handwriting experts severely arraigning Prof. Hamilton for his testimony regarding the validity of letters produced by Mr. Nason and other lawyers for the estate, many of which Prof. Hamilton had claimed were forged.

The Fresno claimant remained in Boston today in consultation with his lawyers, Senator Cartwright of California and William Odlin of Andover, Mass. It was announced today that F. C. Almy, the executor of the Russell will, had recognized the California fruit picker as the original and only Daniel Russell following a similar recognition by William C. Russell, the elder son.

Almy and William Russell today declined to verify the report but should it prove true the identification will have no effect on the present court hearing, Judge Lawton having declined to allow the Californian to intervene.

DEATHS

MILES—Thomas Miles, aged 60, one of the early Irish settlers in this city, died this morning at his home, 142 Fayette street. The deceased was well known throughout the city and had been a resident of Belvidere and a devout attendant at the Immaculate Conception church for many years. He is survived by a wife, Mary A., a son, John, and one sister, Margaret, and a brother, Alexander.

HELD IN $5000

NEW YORK, April 5.—Robert Guy, the fifth of the men indicted in connection with the case against Boggs & Co., the alleged bucketshop concern, voluntarily appeared before U. S. Commissioner Shields today and gave $5000 bail for his appearance on April 11 with the other four men.

GOLD SENT TO EUROPE

NEW YORK, April 5.—The outward flow of gold to Europe which began last week gathered force today with the engagement of $5,000,000 of the yellow for shipment to London. Bankers say that unless there is cessation of the heavy imports or a resumption of European buying of our securities the outgo of gold will probably assume large proportions.

INSURANCE INQUIRY

NEW YORK, April 5.—More light on the circumstances attending fire insurance legislation at Albany was sought by state superintendent of insurance Hotchkiss today. Mr. Hotchkiss devoted all of yesterday's session to an effort to learn the ultimate destination of $5000 paid out by the New York board of fire underwriters after the legislative session of last year. He traced the money to the late George P. Sheldon who transformed $1500 of it into cash. But the superintendent was unable to uncover its final disposition.

With the resumption of the inquiry today it was thought that Mr. Hotchkiss might make further efforts to ascertain if Sheldon and William H. Buckley, the former legislative agent, had not met about this time, as letters indicated they planned to do.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

TO ABOLISH GRAFT

NEW YORK, April 5.—Dummy musicians dressed up in red uniforms puffed their cheeks and blew volumes of air in toneless instruments in hands that played in New York parks, and then split their pay with the bandmaster.

Park Commissioner Higgins and Comptroller Prendergast took measures today to do away with this latest form of municipal graft and say that hereafter no pseudo musicians will be allowed to sit with the players and toot their silent notes. Inspectors will now keep their eyes on the bands.

THE STREET DEPT.

To Begin Work on the Clark Road

Clark road is a busy place these days and they do tell that some of the abutters there are sorry that they asked to have the lines defined and the street made to conform, but if sorry they are their sorrow comes too late as the street department is digging "tooth and nail" and the department has a big job on its hands.

It's a job that will last for several weeks and it will be impossible to avoid the inconvenience that goes hand in hand with street making or street improvements. The street department is moving the stone wall back and this is where the troubles of the abutters begin. Some of them have beautiful rose trees that bloom and blush on and beside the stone wall, and the freshness of their blush makes even the grim stone wall a thing of beauty. These rose bushes and other things will have to be moved back and the chances are they will not bloom at all this summer.

Then comes the inconvenience and discomfiture of having the street torn up and blocked up during the nicest months in the year. Clark road residents would like to have had Mr. Putnam put off work there till the fall but arrangements had been made by the street department to do the work at this time and that's all there was to it.

IS RESTING COMFORTABLY

Mrs. Catherine Jotterand, who it is alleged was thrown from a three story window at a boarding house in Webster street yesterday just before noon, is resting comfortably at St. John's hospital where she was taken immediately after the accident. Inquiry at the hospital this afternoon brought forth the information that while the woman is conscious only at times, hopes are entertained for her recovery.

NOTICE

Industry council 1722, R. A., will hold Ladies' Night at Odd Fellows Temple, Middlesex St., Wednesday evening, April 6, at 8 o'clock. Members invited without further notice.

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BATES WAS LYNCHED

HOUSTON, Texas, April 5.—Following a sensational escape from jail Frank Bates was lynched by hanging in the jail at Centerville last night. Dolly Bates, his son, was also strung up but was cut down before life was extinct. The two Bates' were ringleaders in the jail delivery. They were both wounded as was also Jailer St. John. All the jail breakers were recaptured.

WANT MORE PAY

CINCINNATI, April 5.—Demands for higher wages and changes in working conditions were made on nearly all of the important roads entering Cincinnati yesterday. A committee representing nine hundred switchmen in the Cincinnati district also presented demands for increased wages. Further conferences will follow.

WRECKED BY EXPLOSION

NEWCASTLE, Ind., April 5.—The plant of the pan-American Bridge Co. was wrecked by an explosion inside the plant today. There has been labor trouble at the plant for some months.

SMASHED STATUES

BOSTON, April 5.—An unusual charge was presented today against John Buckley whose place of residence is unknown by the police who arrested him for smashing statues in St. James Roman Catholic church in Harrison avenue. Buckley went into the church to pray today. Suddenly he rose from his knees declaring that he was possessed of a devil and rushed to the high altar, tearing off the altar cloth. He then procured a sledge hammer and was demolishing the statuary when Father Fitzgerald of the parish clergy entered. Two policemen who were telephoned for overpowered the young man after a struggle.

CONGER RESIGNS

Senator Says His Usefulness as Legislator is Ended

ALBANY, N. Y., April 5.—Rising to a question of personal privilege in the senate last night, Sen. Benn Conger, after reading a statement in which he declared he fully realized that as a consequence of the Allds bribery charges his usefulness as a legislator was at an end, handed his resignation to Lieutenant Governor White, a duplicate of which he later filed with the secretary of state.

With ashen face and trembling hand Sen. Jotham P. Allds' accuser read from a typewritten statement giving his reasons for severing his official connection with the senate. When he had finished he sent his resignation to the desk and quickly left the chamber.

Sen. Conger said he sought no excuse for the part he took in the bribery transaction in 1901. "The one grand sorrowful regret of my brother," he said, "was that he had submitted to the demand of the worst gang of plunderers that ever infested this or any other capitol."

Conger's statement, in part, follows:

"On January 4 last, in a private conference where the qualifications of ex-Sen. Allds for the position of republican leader of the senate were being considered, I was asked to declare my position. I replied that I would not and could not vote for him because I had personal knowledge that he was morally unfit for the place. I told them in confidence, what I, as a witness on the stand, have since then told you, namely, that I personally knew that in 1901, when republican leader in the assembly, he had held up and demanded of the bridge companies and had received from them the sum of one thousand dollars to influence his official action, and that I did not purpose by any act of mine, to place him again in position where he could levy blackmail on the business interests of this state.

"It appears that this statement became known to Mr. Allds on the following morning. On January 19, on this floor, he denied the truth of those statements and demanded an investigation thereof. Thereupon, this body ordered an investigation of the matter and called upon me to present the charge to the senate and to make good by proof, to the public, the statements which I had made in private.

"So the alternative was presented to me of becoming a liar and thereby remaining a member of this body in good standing, or of speaking the truth, and thereby greatly injuring myself financially, politically and socially, and bringing upon my family undesirable notoriety and sorrow. I determined that the only thing I could do and retain my own self respect, was to speak the truth, whatever the cost. That I have done, and forty of your number by your votes, have certified thereto.

"I do not seek to excuse, nor do I ask you or others to excuse the part which I took in the transaction of 1901 which you have had under investigation. The one great and sorrowful regret of my brother was that he had submitted to the demand of the worst gang of plunderers that ever infested this or any other capitol. My wrong, and for it I have always been ashamed and sincerely sorry, was in standing by and permitting the thing to be done instead of then and there denouncing it.

Notwithstanding the fact that the policy of the state is that the bribegiver who, by his evidence assists in uncovering and proving the offense, ought not to be punished; and notwithstanding the fact I have made full disclosure of the transaction, I am informed that it is now proposed by some of your members to appoint a committee which shall prepare and present to this body charges against me, and that a trial of such charges is now proposed to be had and an attempt made to expel me as a member of this body.

"I have no desire to remain a member of this great legislative body if my presence is to give offense to any of its members. I realize that my usefulness to my district as a member of this legislature is at an end. Needed legislation ought not to be longer delayed and so I am going to voluntarily surrender my office.

"While a member of this body, I have at all times and in all things tried to do my duty as I have seen it. I am sure that in what I have done in connection with the investigation which has just closed, I have but discharged a duty which I owed my party and to the people of this state, and that I have been true to myself."

Sen. Cobb's resolution providing for the appointment of a committee to prepare charges against Sen. Conger was to have been considered by the senate judiciary committee today and Conger had asked for a hearing. His resignation last night marks the end of the bribery scandal.

House lots to be sold in Lowell Highlands on Saturday, April 9th, have city conveniences, and are within five minutes' walk of three schools.

DRACUT

The annual meeting of the Dracut water supply district will be held tonight at the Grange hall in Dracut Centre.

The annual report of the water commissioners is in circulation and it contains much valuable information, especially to those who reside in the water district.

The treasurer's report shows the receipts of the district including water rates, taxes and loans to have been $14,133.62. Of that amount, $13,673.82 was paid out on commissioner's orders, interest, note and bond debt, leaving a cash balance of $459.80.

The financial statement of the commissioners includes the above figures besides giving the amounts due the district. These are itemized as follows: Due from taxes, $1037.19; water rates, $282.23; construction account, $244.06; total amount due $1563.48, which with cash balance of $459.80, totals, $2023.28.

The anticipation loan note of $1975 about due will reduce the cash on hand account to $48.28.

Under construction the several acquisitions to the names, mains and house services during the year are itemized in a lucidly detailed manner. This shows the total construction expense to have been $506.67. The receipts and amounts due from construction is placed at $738.76 making net cost for the work including material and stock to have been $5767.81.

A total of 7799 feet of pipe of various sizes was put in during the year; 36 services were added making 222 water takers; the district now has 9.08 miles of pipe and the total cost of construction is placed at $66,993.81.

The total cost of maintenance for the year was $536.86, which with superintendent's salary and interest on bonds makes the total maintenance of $4055.46.

The total amount of water pumped during the year was 13,386,322 gallons. The total cost of pumping a million gallons per gasoline consumption was $17.93. For pumping same amount figured on total maintenance, $114.69. Cost of supplying per million gallons figured on total maintenance, $303.10.

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BOOK-A-MONTH CLUB

The Book-a-Month club met last night at the residence of Dr. Roderique Mignault, 841 Merrimack street, with a large attendance of members. Mrs. William E. Kezer presided at the business meeting and Mrs. Herbert E. Fletcher of Westford gave an interesting as well as instructive talk on Halley's comet. After several books were discussed an excellent musical program was given by Miss Elnora Burke, violinist, formerly a pupil at the Perkins Institute for the Blind, and Mr. Harrison A. Cooke, of the class '12 of Textile school, pianist. A social hour followed and Mrs. F. L. Roberts and Mrs. William Stanley served, assisted by Mrs. August P. Sarre and Miss Emily Cornock. A vote of thanks was given Miss Burke and Mr. Cooke.

ROYAL ARCANUM

Industry Council, 1722, Royal Arcanum will conduct a ladies' night at its meeting Wednesday evening in Odd Fellows temple, Middlesex street. There will be whist from 8.30 to 10.30 under the direction of the following committee: James W. McKenna, Paul Murray and Regent John W. Sharkey. Suitable prizes will be awarded to the ladies and gentlemen making the highest number of points in whist. In the upper hall dancing will begin at 8 o'clock and continue all evening, music for the occasion being furnished by Gilmore's orchestra under the direction of Bro. Wm. T. Gilmore. During intermission a collation will be served by the committee. The officers of the affair are as follows: General manager, David A. Hogan; floor marshal, James E. Gorman; aids, James Boyd, Paul Murray, Joseph Kelley, James Carney, Harvey Chase, James Tully, James Maguire, James Scherigley. Reception committee, John W. Sharkey, chairman; Frank Fox, secretary; Wm. H. Stafford, H. T. Mower, Dr. Joseph H. Meehan, Thomas Moss, John J. Ivers, Charles H. O'Donnell, Thomas P. Boulger, M. Sullivan, Thomas McDermod, James Dunn, John Conway, Thomas Roady, Geo. Maguire, James W. McKenna, Alexander Rountree, Dr. Hugh Walker; officers of the committee, D. A. Hogan, chairman; James W. McKenna, secretary.

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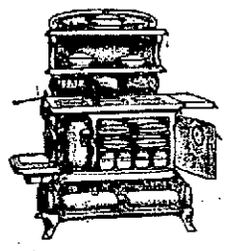
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REV. DR. FRANCIS

Spoke on Christian Socialism at Worthen Street Church

"The Program of Constructive Christianity" was the subject of an interesting address by Rev. Dr. J. A. Francis before the Lowell Baptist Union in the Worthen Street Baptist church, last night. Dr. Francis is pastor of the Clarendon Street Baptist church, Boston. He said, in part:

"Much Socialism levels down the man from the top, but Christian Socialism believes in lifting up the men from the bottom. Christ will never cease in his work here until the industrial and economic realms are pervaded with the same spirit we carry into our missionary labors. Every realm of human activity is some day to be consecrated to Jesus Christ, just as our Christian church is now.

"Great emphasis has in recent years been laid on the social side of Christianity; more than was ever laid before. We used to be very particular about a man's theological beliefs. Now when a man wants to come into a church we ask how he lives and how he treats his fellow men. Is there a change in the attitude of the church towards men, or is it a new reading of the gospel, which imparts our new ideas?

"I believe that many workingmen and working women believe that the church is always against the downtrodden, but God is always on the side of fair play, always on the side of the under dog, when he is kept under. If workingmen and women would see God in that light, it would be a precious boon for the Christian church. Too long the church has been looked upon as antagonistic to the working people.

"I can go to a city in this country and stand before the mansion of a man who is reputed to be worth between 200 and 250 millions, and within four minutes' walk from that man's home I can show you women working over sewing machines 14 hours a day for 63 cents! I wonder what an old Hebrew prophet would say if turned loose among such conditions. He would make the people of this world sit up and take notice. He would make Teddy and his big stick look very mild, indeed!

"Some people read through the New Testament to find out individual salvation. But no man or woman who makes of his or her life a business of getting to heaven himself or herself will ever get there. There isn't any room for such people.

"I want to say something. Some may disagree with me. It will give you a chance to think, anyway. I'm enough of a Baptist to think a bit more of the men who disagree with me than of the man who agrees with me.

"I don't believe that the Christian religion and our competitive system of business will ever flourish permanently side by side. One of them is going to kill the other. The competitive idea in business life is an unChristian idea. Christian men may take the edge off it, but until cooperation takes the place of competition this world will not be Christianized. The change cannot come suddenly, with a revolution. Such changes must work about gradually."

The union met about 7 o'clock in the vestry and Dr. Francis came late. At 7.30 o'clock invocation was given by Rev. B. A. Willmott, pastor of the First Congregational church. This was followed by supper, and about 8.30 o'clock the evening's program was given. Miss Mildred Brennan gave a violin number, and the quartet of the church sang the "Bridal Song." Minor business was then transacted, and the quartet followed with its second number, "Moonlight and Music." The formal greeting to the union was given by Rev. Allan C. Ferrin, president of the Lowell Congregational club, and after this Miss Brennan played another violin solo. The evening closed with the singing of "I am Thine, O Lord," by the union, and with the giving of the benediction.

Gilmore's Prescott hall, tonight.

FOR CHILDREN'S HOME

An entertainment for the benefit of the Children's Home in Kirk street will be held in Colonial hall tonight. The program will be in charge of Mildred Sheldon Bass, dramatic reader, assisted by the Anita quartet.

MAJORITY OF 106

In Favor of Premier Asquith

LONDON, April 5.—Under Premier Asquith's guillotine procedure, the house of commons last night rejected, by a vote of 357 to 251, the opposition amendment to the premier's resolution of the veto power of the house of lords, which was moved by Sir Robert Finlay, and agreed that the premier's motion should go to committee without division.

The house was crowded and many peers and diplomats were present. The announcement of the figures, showing that the government was sure of a majority of 106 for the veto resolutions, was greeted with prolonged ministerial cheers.

Remember the sale of house lots on Saturday, April 9, at 2.30 p. m., in the Lowell Highlands is not a land boom. The owner is selling on account of poor health.

HOLY NAME

OF IMMACULATE CONCEPTION PARISH HELD MEETING.

At a well attended meeting of the Holy Name society of the Immaculate Conception parish, held last night, 22 new members were admitted and four propositions for membership were received.

The committee in charge of the concert and lecture which is to be held in the school hall Thursday night in aid of the church debt, fund reported progress. Mr. David Martin is to have charge of the concert and Rev. Fr. Nolan, O. M. I., pastor of the Immaculate Conception church, will deliver a lecture.

Gilmore's Prescott hall, tonight.

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This is by far the largest average circulation of any newspaper in Lowell.

The general court evidently does not intend to have any radical change in the liquor laws take effect this year.

Matters are moving very slowly in the public hall matter. The city council has the power to do as it pleases in this matter, and it is to be hoped it will take hold and see that the best interests of the city will be subserved in the selection of a site and the construction of a building.

The gold of Lebanon, N. H., has been assayed as "mud" not quite up to the standard of the material which a noted faker extracted from sea water when he deposited a little gold dust with the sand to convince his dupes that sea water is auriferous and that only the right process of extraction is needed to reap an immense fortune.

The republican leaders are anxious to see Mr. Foss get the nomination for governor next fall. They feel that in congress he will be a standing menace to the party interests. Had Mr. Foss' policy of reciprocity with Canada been followed in the past, Secretary Knox would not have been obliged to accept such an unfavorable settlement as the recent tariff compact with Canada.

THE POPULAR SIDE.

Certain members of the legislature are not raising themselves in public esteem when they admit openly that they voted for a bill which they believed to be bad, simply to be on the popular side. The member who votes for what he believes to be wrong merely to avoid criticism is not the right man to represent the people. The man who votes for the right as he sees it, not the man who takes the popular side right or wrong, is the man in whom the people should put their trust.

FAST TRAINS TO NEW YORK.

Lowell is to be felicitated upon the new fast train service to and from New York. That is an example of the benefits of having the N. Y., N. H. & H. controlling the service in New England.

The through train from Lowell to New York will enable a resident of Lowell to leave this city at 11.50 or practically at noon and arrive in New York at 5.55, leaving ample time to have supper and get ready for the opera. By leaving New York at 9 a. m. the return train reaches Lowell at 3.05. Thus the trip either way is made in six hours and five minutes, which is a gain of more than an hour over the best time possible under the old schedules.

THE PITTSBURG DISGRACE.

Only profound sympathy can be felt for the city of Pittsburg in the disgraceful revelations of corruption among her elected officials and her business men. As a rule it is almost impossible to secure evidence of bribery, but in the Pittsburg cases the officials who received the money seem to be tumbling over one another to tell all about it. The charges affect so many and such eminent men that everybody is astonished. The press of Pittsburg has not done its duty or such a state of affairs never could have existed for a single month. It is a serious thing for a newspaper to charge public officials with corruption or the acceptance of bribes because the people who offer the bribes, being equally amenable to punishment, may be expected to deny the charge, unless some documentary evidence be forthcoming that makes their denial worthless. The evidence has leaked out in Pittsburg and it has smirched the character of men in high station. We blush for the press of a city like Pittsburg that permitted such corruption to run riot without prompt exposure.

A HUMANE MEASURE.

A bill is now before the legislature, the purpose of which is quite humane, but yet the constitutionality of which may be questioned.

Rep. Quinn of Swampscott submitted a bill last year, the object of which was to prevent cities and towns from publishing the names of the unfortunates who receive aid from town, city or state or soldiers' relief. Many towns have considered it necessary as a guarantee of honesty on the part of their officials to publish a detailed list of all disbursements. This, of course, would include the names of those who receive relief as paupers. The publication would serve not only to show what was done with the money but also to prevent unworthy parties being kept on the relief list. But it would at the same time expose unnecessarily the identity of those who receive relief regularly.

It is difficult to say to a town or city that such publication shall not be made, but on the other hand it seems needlessly harsh to publish the names. Only a mere suggestion should be needed to avert a course that would not only wound the feelings of the worthy recipients of aid but would also prevent many worthy poor from applying for relief when they sorely need it. It is a mistake to suppose that all the poor are ready to apply for or accept relief from a city or town. Families have been known to suffer want almost to the point of starvation rather than apply for aid.

Rep. Quinn means all right in pushing this bill, but if good judgment prevailed among the officials of towns and cities engaged in the dispensation of relief no such law would be necessary.

The people fear publicity of this kind. The unfortunates who appear in police court are equally averse to publicity, although every decent newspaper respects their feelings to a far greater extent than is supposed by the general public. It very often requires a law, however, to oblige some people to perform their simple duty. That is the only excuse for enacting Rep. Quinn's bill which in the opinion of some towns would prohibit a course which has been resorted to only as a protection to the taxpayers against imposition and dishonesty.

SEEN AND HEARD

There's many a man talks another man's think when he ought to be thinking his own.

Some of us would delight in gardening if it wasn't so hard on one's back.

Birthday celebrations sometimes furnish food for reflection.

She was the lady of his choice and he took no pains to conceal it.

"I'll bet you don't know what day tomorrow is," she announced suddenly.

"Why, Tuesday, of course," he answered in a puzzled tone.

"Oh, I don't mean that kind of a day. I know you didn't know."

"I don't know. What do you mean?" he replied, helplessly.

"Well, I guess I'll have to tell you." She pretended she was hurt. "It will be my birthday."

"Congratulations, Alice. Congratulations," he exclaimed, enthusiastically. "And how old may—"

"That's for you to find out," she answered, laughing.

"Well, I bet I know."

"You do?"

"Yes, and I'll tell you what I'll do, I'll send you a rose for every year of your life. How will that do?"

At the florist's he found the assistant unoccupied.

"Send Miss Casey eighteen of your best roses tomorrow morning. You know the address. Eighteen. Your best. Understand?" The boy understood.

Half an hour later the proprietor was looking over the order book.

"What did Mr. Graham order today?"

"Eighteen roses, sir" answered Willie.

"Eighteen? He's a pretty good customer. Throw in a dozen more."

—National Monthly

"ME AND YOU"

What's the best thing that you have ever done?
The whitest day,
The cleverest play
That you ever set in the shine of the sun?
The time that you felt just a wee bit proud
Of defying the cry of the cowardly crowd
And stood back to back with God?
Aye, I notice you nod,
But silence yourself, lest you bring me shame
That I have no answering deed to name.

What's the worst thing that ever you did?
The darkest spot,
The blackest blot
On the page you have pasted together and hid?
Ah, sometimes you think you've forgotten it quite,
Till it crawls in your bed in the dead of the night
And brands you its own with a blush.
What was it? Nay, hush!
Don't tell it to me, for fear it be known
That I have an answering blush of my own.

But whenever you notice a clean hit made,
Sing high and clear
The sounding cheer
You would gladly have heard for the play you played.
And when a man walks in the way forbidden,
Think you of the thing you have happily hidden
And spare him the sting of your tongue.
Do I do that which I've sung?
Well, it may be I don't and it may be I do,
But I'm telling the thing which is good for you!

—Edmund Vance Cook.

PEOPLE OF NOTE

Dr. Gouraud, the French dietetian, says that a rational diet is one that while pleasant to the taste, maintains the bodily equilibrium, favors the easy working of all the organs and reduces to a minimum the work they have to do.

A telegram from London affirms that Louis Parker is to make the English version of "Chantecler" and that Miss Adams will play the part of the Cock in America. Such a choice for the part seems almost incredible. Guitry, who is acting Chantecler in Paris, is a man of unusual physical and nervous strength and in the flower of his years. Yet time and again he has said publicly and privately that the burden of disguise, action and long speeches was almost beyond his endurance. And now Miss Adams, the fragile in all but nervous ambition, would make such a venture. Yet it was years before she quite wore away the effects of the over-strain of "L'Aiglon" upon her bodily and her histrionic resources.

An interesting law suit has been started by the widow of Emile Zola against the Cheap Homes society of Paris. It appears that soon after the death of the author Mme. Zola presented to the society a bronze statue by Pietro Vorghi, representing a chained galley slave. The pedestal bore an inscription laudatory of Zola's work in the interest of Captain Dreyfus. No appropriate place could be found by the society for the erection of the memorial, and it was stored in a shed. There it was improperly braced and recently it fell and was broken. There were no funds available to make repairs, so it was broken up and sold for junk, the society realizing 350 francs. Mme. Zola now sues the society for 10,000 francs. "All who know her," says a Paris letter, "realize that Mme. Zola is not interested in the money part of the suit, but she hopes to win in order that punishment may fall upon the society."

Andrew Carnegie's gift of $40,000 to Wells College for the establishment of a Frances Cleveland Library in honor of a Mrs. Cleveland, who is a Wells graduate, was announced the other day at the twenty-seventh annual luncheon of the Eastern Association of the College at Sherry's. Mrs. Cleveland, who is in Europe, sent her regrets at being unable to attend.

PRESIDENT LYNCH

HAS A TALK WITH NATIONAL LEAGUE UMPIRES

NEW YORK, April 5.—President Lynch of the National league went over the playing rules with his umpires at a five hours' conference in New York yesterday. Lynch told his men that they were the monarchs of the field and that all they had to do in order to retain their positions was to enforce the playing code.

Photographers, he said, no longer will be allowed near the diamond after a game starts.

PASTOR HONORED

RECEPTION TO REV. FRANCIS HOWARD ROSE

A reception to Francis Howard Rose, who is acting pastor of the Immanuel Baptist church, was held in the vestry of the church last night. More than 100 members of the church were present and the evening passed off very pleasantly. In the receiving party, besides Mr. Rose, were Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Lawson and Mr. and Mrs. Mark A. Murphy. The ushers were Harold Rose, John Pauly and Thomas Blades. Later in the evening refreshments were served and an informal program given, which included an address by Mr. Rose and piano selections by Mrs. Murphy.

COTTON SUPPLY LESS

MANCHESTER, England, April 5.—The half yearly report of the International Cotton Federation states that the visible supply of cotton is a million bales less than in March, 1909. This fact, however, it is pointed out, need not cause alarm, because of the "short time" in operation, and because the tendency in most countries is to spin finer counts, thus using less cotton, while at the end of last season there was a large surplus supply.

IF IT DISAPPEARS, IT'S ECZEMA

How to Tell Whether a Skin Affection is an Inherited Blood Disease or Not.

Sometimes it is hard to determine whether a skin affection is a sign of a blood disorder or simply a form of eczema. Even physicians are often puzzled in their diagnosis. The best way for anyone afflicted is to go to Falls & Burkinshaw's, Carter & Sherburne's, or any good druggist who handles pure drugs, and obtain 50 cents' worth of poslam. Apply this, and if the itching stops at once and the trouble is cured in a few days it may be set down as having been eczema, as this is the way poslam acts in the worst cases of eczema, and in curing acne, herpes, blotches, tetter, piles, salt rheum, rash, barber's and other forms of itch, scaly scalp, and all surface skin affections.

Anyone who will write to the Emergency Laboratories, No. 32 West Twenty-fifth street, New York, can secure by mail free of charge, a supply sufficient to cure a small eczema surface or clear a complexion overnight and remove pimples in twenty-four hours.

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AGE OF HORSE

How to Determine It is Explained

(Continued from last Tuesday)

The central nippers are considerably worn and the next pair are beginning to show the mark of age. The tush has now protruded and is fully half an inch in height, and has a rounded prominence with grooves on the inside. At five years the horse's mouth is almost perfect. At six years the mark on the two central nippers is entirely worn out, and on the next pair the mark is shorter, broader and fainter, and on the corner pair the edges of the enamel are more regular, the surface is a little rubbed or worn but only on the exterior edge. The tush has attained its full growth, projects outward, concave within, growing to a point, the extremity somewhat curved. At seven years the mark is not only worn out from the two central nippers and consequently on the two next, but is fast wearing away on the two corner teeth. The tush also begins to show change. The point and edges are rounded but at eight years the tush is rounded in every way. The mark has disappeared from all the bottom nippers, and nearly so from the top. All the teeth are worn, but the central one is still large and retains some of its blackness. There is nothing remaining on the bottom nippers that can show the age of the horse at all reliable. The upper nippers may give indications but nothing certain.

After the age of eight years there are no points that will determine the age with accuracy. The horse that is fed on corn will appear older than the one that is fed on oats and soft food. At nine years the nippers show a most rounded appearance. Little remains of the dental bone, but begins to show the dental star. At ten years the same change on the middle ones. At eleven the same change on the corner ones. At twelve the corner teeth are round and the dental bone very apparent throughout. At thirteen there is a total disappearance of the interior enamel. From fourteen to seventeen they assume a triangular form. The central ones at fourteen and the middle ones at fifteen and the corner ones at sixteen. At eighteen this triangular shape grows longer, and becomes radically contracted.

At six years the teeth are short and flat, gums extending across them full and nearly straight; passing eight the gums recede or shrink away from the teeth making them appear longer; at ten this is very noticeable; while passing twelve the gum shows almost a pointed contact with the center of the teeth; at eighteen to nineteen the gums are drawn back much sharper, leaving the teeth longer and narrower in appearance.

With increased age, deep hollows above the eyes will appear and the lower lip hang down perceptibly. Sometimes teeth are "bishoped," cut down by saw or file, or cutting machines, to deceive as to the age of a horse, quite old horses being made to appear eight to nine. In trading or buying, one should exercise care in the study of the animal's age.

The teeth of the horse require frequent attention. Shorten with the rasp the lower incisors and the corners of the upper molars, and inner side of lower teeth to keep your horse in good feeding condition.

Dr. A. C. Daniels

(Another of Dr. Daniels' articles next Tuesday.)

THE OPTOMETRY BILL

Editor Sun:

Recent communications in the press, by physicians in opposition to the proposed legislation regulating the practice of optometry, are misleading in the statements, that this practice is an infringement on the practice of medicine and that the proposed legislation is a "vicious attempt to lower medical standards." The Massachusetts Optical society are the petitioners; they seek to regulate the practice of optometry by establishing a board of examiners and registration. While they cannot legislate anyone out of business, they seek to establish by law a higher standard of proficiency, by exacting educational and practical tests of those who in future take up the science of optics, thereby making optometry a profession apart from the practice of medicine.

The opposition to this legislation by the physicians was expected, as it has been general in every state where the same legislation has been enacted. The physicians, therefore, stand as opponents to higher education and proficiency and prefer to continue the present evils of peddlers and fakirs who are not amenable to any law. The open question between oculists and opticians is whether the practice of optometry is a medical or mechanical science. The opticians of 24 states that have similar laws as those proposed have convinced their respective state legislature and governors that optometry is a mechanical science and in no way medical; that it is a treatment of light and has no medicinal value. The physicians in every state have been in opposition and have lost.

The same question and opposition arose between the dentists and the medical profession when legislation for the regulation of dentistry was proposed. The opticians seek to place their practice on the same plane and in the same relation to the medical profession as dentistry now is. The bill now before the legislature has been reported upon favorably by the committee on public health and it is the sincere hope of every capable and honest optician that it will be enacted.

John J. Cluin.

GENERAL STRIKE

HAS BEEN DECLARED BY THE NAVAL RESERVISTS

MARSEILLES, April 5.—The trouble between the naval reservists and the steamship companies over the employment on the liners of Arabs or other natives who are not French subjects, culminated last night in the declaration of a general strike and the tieing of several steamships. The men demand the dismissal of all natives and the release of 13 comrades of the steamer Mouloya who were arrested on the charge of desertion because they refused to sail unless the natives aboard the vessel were landed.

The government has taken a firm attitude, and Premier Briand has announced his determination to maintain discipline in the merchant marine at all costs. Arrangements are being made to assure mail and passenger service by means of warships.

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LICENSE ISSUE

Big Question in Town Elections

BOSTON, April 5.—In five towns yesterday plurralities on the license question were reversed by the April town elections. Spencer was the largest town to "flop," changing from wet to dry for the first time in 10 years, by a vote of 748 no, to 632 yes. Last year the license advocates had a plurality of 25. Charlton and Shutesbury, also changed to the dry column. Against these gains by the "no" forces may be set the loss of Oxford and North Brookfield, the latter of which went for license for the first time in its history, changing a plurality of 15 for no, into one of 40 for yes. The most complete overturn, however, was at Shutesbury, where a total of 30 votes, with a plurality of 20 for no license, was turned into a plurality of seven for license out of a total of 59.

TOWN OFFICIAL REBUKED

BOSTON, April 5.—The voters of Southbridge who held the centre of interest in the elections in many Massachusetts towns yesterday, seized their opportunity to rebuke the town officials in charge at the time of the exposure of John A. Hall's alleged $425,000 embezzlement from the Southbridge Savings bank, in which town funds were involved, by sending them down to defeat at the polls yesterday and changing the administration from republican to democratic. The French vote was particularly effective, and as a result each of the three members of the board of selectmen is of French descent, a situation said to be unique in Massachusetts in a town as large as Southbridge.

Joseph G. E. Page, republican, was the only member of the board re-elected. He will have as associates Alexander Boyer, Jr. and J. Anatole Caron, both democrats.

Edward Desrosier, republican town treasurer, lost his fight for re-election, Solomon E. Blanchard, democrat, winning the office. Desrosier succeeded Hall in his office of town treasurer, which Hall held while also treasurer of the bank. Some of Hall's illegal operations are said to have involved the use of town notes for large sums.

James K. Egan, chairman of the sewer commissioners and a democrat, was badly defeated by H. U. Ball, republican. Hall's connection with the funds of the sewer department has been look upon with suspicion. Laxity in the department's system of accounting was charged against Egan in the campaign.

TAXI DRIVERS

IN CHICAGO WENT OUT ON STRIKE

CHICAGO, April 5.—Two hundred drivers of taxicabs struck last night just before theatre time. Horse cabs were hurried from stables where it was supposed they had been forever abandoned and soon the down town quarter was filled with old vehicles.

It was announced that 300 day chauffeurs would quit work today. The strike was called because of the refusal of the employers to recognize the union. The men asked merely for a continuance of last year's scale.

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THE AERO CLUB

Has Decided to Buy an Aeroplane

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The "aviation night" brought out a distinguished company of scientists at the City club where the dinner was held last night. Henry Howard, the prominent yachtsman, was toastmaster.

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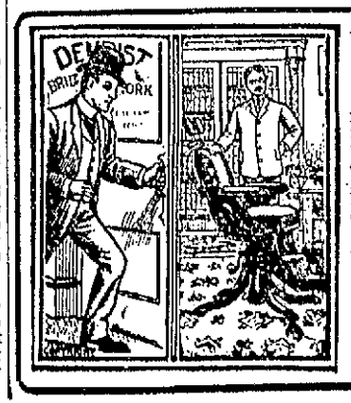
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RAILROAD'S RIGHTS

Are Upheld by Decision of the Supreme Court

WASHINGTON, April 5.—Emphasizing the rights of railroads, the supreme court of the United States yesterday declared unconstitutional the law of Nebraska requiring railroads to build switches to all grain elevators along their tracks, upon request, and called a halt in the attempt of the state of Arkansas to penalize an interstate railroad for failure to supply cars enough to accommodate interstate traffic.

In announcing the decision of the court in the Nebraska case, Justice Holmes asserted that although the state had certain police powers and that railroads must fulfil the purposes for which their charters were granted, yet "railroads, like other owners of property have rights that are protected by the constitution."

Among other decisions, the court held that the business of a correspondence school with pupils in various states, is interstate commerce, and upheld the act of Arkansas prohibiting canvassing for business by physicians and hotel keepers on trains in that state.

An odd thing about the sitting was the announcement as the decision of the court of an opinion written by the late Justice Brewer.

The court, upon resuming session, gave no direct intimation as to its probable course on reargument of the Standard oil and tobacco trust cases, but having divided four to four on the 28-hour live stock law on the question raised in the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern case, reargument was ordered for August.

The court postponed for 10 days consideration of the inheritance tax case set for argument as of yesterday. This action was taken because of the enforced absence of Solicitor General Bowers, who left yesterday for St. Paul to attend the funeral of his father-in-law, Judge Thomas Wilson.

The city of Los Angeles is given the paramount right, as far as the Los Angeles farming and milling company is concerned, to take and use all the waters of the Los Angeles river by a decision announced yesterday.

The court yesterday decided the case of the Southwestern Oil company vs. the state of Texas in favor of the state, thus upholding the constitutionality of the Texas state law, known as the Kennedy tax law, which fixes a tax of 2 per cent. on the gross receipts from the sale of oil, naphtha, etc. In announcing the opinion of the court Justice Harland held a classification of wholesale dealers, as distinct from retail dealers for purposes of taxation, was a proper exercise of power possessed by the state.

The court affirmed the decree of the federal court of Hawaii sentencing John Wynne to be hanged on a charge of having murdered Archibald F. McKinnon.



CAPTAIN GEORGE P. DILLON, ONE OF THE OLD SOLDIER FIDDLERS

FUNERALS

DONOVAN—The funeral of Dennis Donovan, who was killed at Sauk Rapids, Minn., a week ago, was held yesterday afternoon from the rooms of Undertakers C. H. Molloy & Sons. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery, where Rev. Fr. Callahan read the committal prayers. Undertakers C. H. Molloy & Sons had charge. The bearers were Patrick Kelley, Dennis O'Neil, Mathew Sheridan, Joseph Mingle, Archie and John Kelley.

PIERCE—The funeral of Warren K. Pierce was held yesterday afternoon from the home of his mother, Mrs. Edith Pierce, 36 Puffer street and burial was in the Edson cemetery. Rev. J. P. West was the officiating clergyman and there was ginging by Miss Lucille Washburn and Miss Eva Large. Undertaker C. M. Young had charge of the burial.

SPLAINE—The funeral of the late John H. Splaine was held Sunday afternoon at St. Catherine's church, Forge Village, Rev. Edmund T. Schofield officiating. A large guthering of relatives and friends attended the services.

The casket was hidden amid a wealth of beautiful flowers. A large delegation of Court Ayer, No. 48, Foresters of America of which deceased was a member attended the services. The bearers were Francis Lowther and John L. Flynn of Forge Village, Eugene Simpson of Boston, Jas. Elmore of Ayer. Among out-of-town people who attended were Mrs. John Ledger, Mr. and Mrs. M. McGovern, Peter Hanley, Miss Margaret Hyer, Mr. S. Campbell, W. W. Murphy, all of Lowell; Miss Helen McGovern, Ayer; Julius Brumuller, Malden; Mr. and Mrs. George Rose, William Rose, Lewis E. Rose of Cambridge; Charles Rose, Somerville; Mrs. Nellie Prince, Mrs. James Hackett, Mr. Stephen and Miss Nellie Ward of North Chelmsford; Daniel Sullivan, Lincoln Towle, Boston; Mr. and Mrs. John J. Hanley, Marlboro; Hugh Daly, Miss Emma Duford and Mrs. Edward Sheean of Leominster; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Riney, Lowell.

Burial was in the family lot in St. Catherine's cemetery, Graniteville. Undertaker J. A. Healey had charge of the funeral.

A requiem high mass was celebrated at St. Catherine's church, this morning at 8 o'clock, for the repose of his soul.

ADAMS—The burial of the late Miss Grace P. Adams of Chelmsford took place Sunday afternoon in the family lot in Forefathers' cemetery, Chelmsford Centre, where the committal service was conducted by Rev. T. C. H. Bouton of the Central Congregational church, who also read a poem, "The Christian's Good Night." Arrangements were in charge of Superintendent Roland Parkhurst and the bearers were Harry B. Flemings, George K. Mackenzie, Will Roper and John H. Wilson.

O'TOOLE—The funeral of the late Edward O'Toole took place this morning at 9 o'clock from his home, Sheldon street, North Billerica, and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends including a delegation from the North Billerica Council, R. A. of which deceased was an esteemed member, consisting of John Connolley, Patrick Higgins, Joseph Brown, and William Costello. The cortege proceeded to St. Andrew's church where at 9.30 o'clock a mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Father Foley, O. M. I. The choir, under the direction of Mr. Fairbrother, sang the Gregorian mass, Mr. Fairbrother rendering "Pie Jesu" at the offertory and "De Profundis," at the conclusion. Miss Etta Hoar presided at the organ. Among the many beautiful floral tributes were a large pillow inscribed "Father," from the family; cross on base from the North Billerica council, R. A.; spray, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Kohlrausch; spray, Ellen Meaney; wreath, the Craig family; wreath, J. S. Welch; wreath, W. J. Wheatley and family; wreath from a friend. The bearers were Philip Gleason, William Wheatley, Maurice McElligott, John O'Brien, Elias Hannon, Timothy McCarthy. At the grave Rev. Father Foley read the committal prayers and the burial was in the Catholic cemetery in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

JOYCE—The funeral of the late Rosetta R. Joyce took place this morning at 8.40 o'clock from the funeral parlors of James W. McKenna, 419 Bridge street, and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to the Immaculate Conception church, where at 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Dennis Sullivan, O. M. I. The choir, directed by Mr. Chas. P. Smith, sang the Gregorian mass. Mrs. Hugh Walker presided at the organ. As the remains were borne from the church the choir chanted "De Profundis." The floral offerings consisted of a wreath of roses and lilies with ribbon inscribed "Sister," from sister of the deceased; standing wreath of roses, ferns and lilies, from Room 17, Selisia Worsted mills of No. Chelmsford; and a spray of roses and carnations from the Wilson family. The bearers were Messrs. Edward Cox, James Burke, Reno Dennault and Samuel Forsythe. Interment was in the family lot in the Catholic cemetery, where the last and rites of the Catholic church were read by Rev. Fr. Sullivan. Funeral Director James W. McKenna in charge.

DEATHS

BROWN—Mrs. Elizabeth Brown, aged 33 years, died today at her late home, 42 Plummer avenue. The deceased was a popular young woman of the Immaculate Conception parish and was well known throughout the city. She leaves to mourn her loss a husband, James Brown, and two sons, James and William; two sisters, Miss Mary Bannon and Mrs. Edward Herbert of Waltham. Funeral notice later.

KEEGAN—Catherine Keegan, widow of the late Peter Keegan, died last evening at her home, 3 rear of 218 Adams street. The deceased had been a devout attendant at St. Patrick's church for the past 27 years. She leaves to mourn her loss, three daughters, Mrs. Mary Judge of Lawrence; Mrs. Alice Buzzell and Mrs. Winifred Crosby of this city, and one son, J. S. Keegan of the U. S. army, now stationed at Fort Warren. She also leaves a granddaughter, Miss Mary Tower of this city and several other grandchildren. Lawrence papers please copy.

O'NEIL—George O'Neil, aged 76 years, died this morning at his residence, 46 Suffolk street. He leaves to survive him one daughter, Miss Sarah O'Neil. The deceased was a brother of the late Hugh O'Neil whose interment took place last week.

DESMARAIS—Albert T. Desmarais, aged 16 years, died today at 844 Lakeview avenue. He is survived by his parents, Adeos and Mary Desmarais; two brothers, Philip and John and one sister, Mildred. Owing to the nature of the disease the funeral was held this afternoon at 4 o'clock. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery under the direction of Peter Savage, undertaker.

DALY—The funeral of Martin J. Daly took place this morning from the home of his parents, 3 rear of 91 Dummer street. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery in charge of Undertaker Peter H. Savage.

Shawlights, O. U. A. M., tonight.

STAR THEATRE

A talking picture, "The Honor of His Family," by the Biograph company is a special feature of the show at the Star theatre. The large and capable company of actors makes the picture most realistic. There are two high class vaudeville specialties. The Textile school illustrated song, "What's the Matter With Father" is a scream. It is "the biggest and best show in Lowell" and the admission of five cents includes a seat.

HATHAWAY THEATRE

There's a bang up good bill at Hathaway's theatre this week and "The Old Soldier Fiddlers" are the big feature. Kinder gives one a funny feeling in the heart region when the veterans of the gray and the blue stand side by side and round out the old tunes. Any of us who attended country dances years ago and swung partners in the plain quadrille, danced to the very tunes that the old soldiers play at Hathaway's. "Money Musk" is old and beautiful when it comes to jig music, and if the fellow sitting next to you at Hathaway's last night tramped on your toes it was probably because he had too much music in his feet. When the blue and the gray got to tickling out those jigs some of the old timers had rush of blood to the feet!

"We don't read any music," said Col. John A. Pattee, the spokesman for the Fiddlers, yesterday. "We simply saw away at the old tunes, and our general average isn't very bad. It's the old tunes we're going to play, the ones that people hummed and whistled before the Civil war."

There were several solos by the members of the quartet. Major Hamersly played the little known "General Lee's March," and Capt. Thomas gave the melodious "Cabin Creek," a dance tune dating back to the '40s of the last century. And Col. Pattee played many of the better known war time pieces. In one of his numbers he was assisted by Capt. Dillon, a real "Johnny Reb," the two giving an imitation of an "orchestra" which is used in the mountains of West Virginia and North Carolina. It was very jolly scraping, and Capt. Dillon became so enthused that he gave the Rebel yell, and then struck into some soft shoe dancing.

The act opened with the Northerners running into the "Robs" for a good time, and it ended with the four men saluting with their bows a mammoth silken American flag, while the "Star Spangled Banner" was played by the orchestra.

The four old soldiers saw active service, and three of them were wounded during the war. Col. John A. Pattee, the leader of the quartet, is nearly 66 years of age. He was born in Wayne county, Michigan, and enlisted in Company K, 24th Michigan Infantry, on August 5, 1862. He was later detached and became a member of Battery B, 4th United States Light Artillery. He fought with the Iron Brigade at Gettysburg, and was within a stone's throw of General John B. Reynolds, when the latter was shot from his horse during the first day of the memorable battle. He was wounded at the Weldon railroad, during the Petersburg battle. In April of 1865 he was sent to Springfield, Ill., to do recruiting and was one of those selected to escort the body of President Lincoln to its last resting place. He is a great grandfather. His mother is still living. His home is at Huntington, W. Va.

Capt. John H. Thomas was born in West Virginia, but moved to Ohio when young. He is 66 years of age. He served in the 147th Ohio Infantry and was wounded during a battle near Clarksburg, W. Va. He owns a farm in Ohio.

Capt. George P. Dillon is 67 years of age. He was born in Taswell county, Virginia, and served with the 34th Virginia Cavalry Battalion. He was with Gen. Jubal A. Early during the entire campaign in the Shenandoah valley. He was wounded during this campaign.

Major J. H. Hamersly saw the least service of any of the four members of the quartet. He was born and has always lived near Appomatox court house, Virginia. In the southern states there were many independent military organizations before and during the Civil war, and Major Hamersley, when the two armies focussed at Appomatox at the close of the war, went out with the company of Captain Ford. Major Hamersly is a bachelor.

Thursday night will be known as "Grand Army Night" at the theatre. It is probable that the four fiddlers will be the object of a demonstration. Many members of the three local posts will be in attendance and at the close of the performance the fiddlers will hold a reception.

Harry K. and Jessie Hayward present a very funny little comedy called "Holding Out." The act is filled with the unusual, both as to action and dialog. It's worth the price of admission alone to see the woman fry an egg on an electric flatiron, or to see the pair make coffee in a grease paint box with a tin whistle stuck in a hole as an outlet for the steam.

Selma Braatz, as dainty as anybody seen here this season and brimful of ginger, appeared as the closing act of the bill. Her juggling isn't freakish, but it is done in fine taste and with a show of precision quite uncommon. Very little of it depends upon main strength. Rather is it the result of a very swift moving brain and body. Women jugglers are few and far between, and Fraulein Braatz is easily the best in the cast today. The finale to her act while she, dressed in a fetching knickerbocker suit, juggles torches, is remarkably pretty.

Jane Boynton and Fan Burke, the former having appeared earlier this season with the Piano Four, give an attractively arranged musical act.

Harry L. Webb, known as "the man who talks and sings," carried yesterday's audiences with him.

William Ferry, in the spectacular contortion act, "The Lagoon," has a few surprises in the way of contortions.

Newhoff and Phelps have a little skit of talking, singing and dancing, and there are usual motion pictures.

Performances will be given every afternoon and evening during the remainder of the week.

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

One of the best bills so far offered at the Opera House under the present policy of vaudeville and pictures was given yesterday afternoon and evening and for the first three days of the week. Heading the program are the Petching Bros., talented musicians, who offer one of the best novelty musical acts seen of late, entitled "The Garden of Music" in which the stage setting shows a garden of fruit trees and flowers that prove to be musical instruments, an odd conceit well carried out and one that is also praiseworthy from a musical standpoint. Others on the bill are the three Lorellas, exceptionally good comedy acrobats, in a series of rapid stunts that keep the audience well interested, Dorethea Hall, character change artist and clever dancer who finishes her act with a male impersonation that is good, and Herb Webster in new pictorial melodies that catch the crowd. The pictures shown are of the latest prints and include a new Biograph comedy, "The Smoker," a beautiful colored Pathe picture and several others of the newest subjects. The current bill will be given today and Wednesday and Thursday there will be an entire change of program. Tonight is amateur night at the Opera House and the usual big list of amateur talent will be seen. Owing to the length of the program on amateur nights the performance will begin at 8.45 tonight. Prices are five and ten cents; seats free.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

At the Academy, Driscoll McDermaid & Co. are giving a sketch that is a new and novel idea. It is intensely dramatic and is in the hands of three clever actors. It proved a big hit yesterday. The Phillips sisters are a very clever pair of exceptionally pretty young ladies who sing well and dance better and make many changes of handsome wardrobe. Jos. Blott is singing "In the City Where Nobody Cares," and there are new pictures including a biograph. Admission 5 and 10 cents.

THEATRE VOYONS

One of the most interesting and popular novels ever written is "Michael Strogoff" and in a dramatic form it has been played many times. Today the Theatre Voyons is showing it in a picture drama and it will be sure to please those who have read the story as well as those to whom it is entirely new. It is capably acted and well staged and little is neglected that would add to its interest.

"The Diary of a Nurse" tells a love story in a novel way and the theme of a nurse and patient's romance is charmingly handled.

"His Last Dollar," is a rarely funny comedy in which a young man is confronted with a big bill for a dinner which he and a lady have eaten and finds he has only a dollar to meet it. Other pictures are included in the bill and two illustrated songs of more than ordinary merit are well sung.

PAYMASTER HELD

Haughey is Put Under Technical Arrest

BOSTON, April 5.—Past Assistant Paymaster Swinton L. Bethea, U. S. N., who has been the assistant paymaster of the flagship Connecticut, reported at the Charlestown navy yard yesterday as the paymaster of the U. S. S. Castine, now at the yard, relieving Assistant Paymaster Lawrence G. Haughey, U. S. N., who has been the pay officer of the Castine and of the submarine flotilla of which it is the "parent" ship.

Assistant Paymaster Haughey was directed to report aboard the receiving ship Wabash for "temporary duty," and immediately upon reporting to Capt. John C. Fremont, U. S. N., commandant of the yard for that duty, he was placed under technical arrest.

A court-martial has been ordered to try Assistant Paymaster Haughey. It will begin its sessions at the Charlestown yard on Thursday. The exact charges, according to the policy of the navy department, are not made public in advance of the convening of the court.

Paymaster Haughey reported the loss of $2800 from his safe last month. The money had been drawn to pay off the crew and the men of the submarines, whose accounts are carried aboard the Castine. After placing the money in his safe on the ship he went ashore and did not return for a day. He reported that he had been taken suddenly ill while visiting Back Bay friends. Upon his return to the ship he had occasion to pay some accounts. He opened the safe and found there was no money in it. He immediately reported the loss.

The safe was intact and the combination had evidently not been tampered with. Subsequently some of the money was found secreted behind a bathtub in the wardroom, the senior officers' general room.

An investigation was ordered by Capt. Fremont, commandant of the yard, and the findings were reported to Washington. No loss, it is understood, falls upon the government.

Capt. Charles E. Fox, U. S. N., commandant at the Charleston, S. C., navy yard, has been named as president of the court. The other members, all of whom are connected with the Charlestown navy yard or ships now there, are Lieut. Commanders John L. Stiteth and Edwin H. Delaney, Paymasters Victor S. Jackson and E. E. Goodhue, Passed Asst. Paymaster Roland W. Shuman, Lieut. Ralston W. Holmes and Asst. Naval Constructor Robert B. Hillard.

NARROW ESCAPE

Frank Johnson, Aviator, Plunged Into San Francisco Bay

ALAMEDA, Cal., April 5.—Plunging from a height of 80 feet into the waters of San Francisco bay, Frank Johnson, an aviator riding the Curtiss biplane, was nearly drowned yesterday a mile off shore.

For several minutes it seemed that the aviator was lost and his mother and wife who witnessed the accident fainted. After the machine settled in the bay Johnson could be seen by several hundred spectators swimming toward shallow water. Two men in a skiff rescued him. The machine was recovered and towed ashore.

Johnson explained that one of the planes failed to respond as he was about to make a sharp turn. The accident occurred while he was making the twelfth flight of the afternoon before a large crowd.

PUBLIC HALL BOARD

Successor to Mr. Ellingwood to be Chosen Tonight

Because of his removal from Lowell, Mr. Edward Ellingwood, has resigned from the Public Hall commission, and Mayor Meehan has called a special meeting of the common council for this evening in order that the position made vacant by Mr. Ellingwood's resignation may be filled without delay. The board of aldermen will hold a regular meeting this evening.

The naming of a successor to Mr. Ellingwood is up to the chairman of the board of aldermen and the president of the common council. Mayor Meehan hopes that these two gentlemen will name Mr. A. G. Swapp. "I feel that Mr. Swapp is public spirited enough not to refuse to serve if appointed and I know that his presence on the commission would serve to facilitate matters in the building of a new hall."

Mr. Ellingwood's letter to the mayor reads as follows:

Hon. John F. Meehan,
Mayor's Office,
City Hall, Lowell, Mass.

Dear Sir:—Owing to my change of residence to another city I shall not be eligible as a member of the public hall commission, and I hereby tender my resignation, to take effect at once.

Very truly yours,
Edward Ellingwood.

Mayor to City Council

Believing that the present board of charities ought not to be held responsible for the bill owed the Massachusetts School for Feeble Minded and amounting to more than $4000, because the bill was contracted by former boards, the mayor has addressed the following communication to the city council:

Lowell, April 5, 1910.

To the City Council of the City of Lowell.

Gentlemen:—

Enclosed find statement from the Massachusetts School for Feeble Minded. This bill covers a period from June 30, 1905, to November 30, 1908.

As this bill was contracted during an interval of time over which the present board of charities had no control, I believe that in all fairness and justice this bill should not be paid out of their appropriation.

I feel that it is the duty of your honorable body to make a special appropriation covering the payment of same.

Respectfully yours,
John F. Meehan, Mayor.

Sherman Reappointed

Mayor Meehan has appointed Walter A. Sherman inspector of animals for Lowell. This is a re-appointment for Mr. Sherman and it was filed at the office of the city clerk this forenoon.

Moth Appropriation

State Forester Raney has communicated with Mayor Meehan by telephone as well as by letter asking the chief executive to use his best influence in securing a $4000 moth appropriation.

Marriage Intentions

April 5—Jackson Clifford White, 21, wood worker, 148 Cushing street and Alden Boisvert, 17, laundress, same address.

John Battles, 29, locomotive fireman, Allston, Mass., and Maria McGrath, 33, machine operator, 132 Tilden street.

FLOUNDER CLUB

HAD AN ENJOYABLE SUNDAY AT SAUGUS WITH PRESIDENT

The members of the Flounder club, a social organization that flounders in the vicinity of Liberty square, visited the home of their president, Charles E. Wheaton at East Saugus, Sunday and enjoyed one of Mrs. Wheaton's delightful dinners. The day was spent in a most enjoyable manner. There were songs by William P. Moran, Thomas Barry and recitations by Frank Flanagan who made a hit with his rendition of "On the Water Wagon;" Edward F. Brady sang "My Irene is a Village Queen;" James Bowers sang "The Songs My Mother Used to Sing," "Hokie Get Up," and "Listen to the Mill Bells Ring." Timothy Reagan recited "The Village Blacksmith" with anvil accompaniment and Cornelius Donahue tore off a few songs. The party returned early in the evening after a most enjoyable day.

A pure grape Cream of Tartar Powder. An aid to digestion—an assurance of healthful food.

CLEVELAND'S SUPERIOR BAKING POWDER

A plain cake, made with Cleveland's Baking Powder, is superior to a pound cake costing twice as much, made with an alum powder.

More than 75 Years

Continual, active business as a

Seed and Implement House

Brings a knowledge and experience in these important lines of great benefit and satisfaction to our customers.

Bartlett & Dow

216 Central Street.

Now Here Is

Monolac

It is one varnish for all kinds of interior woodwork. Eight beautiful colors. Monolac restores many dollars' worth of furniture, covering the scratches and signs of wear. Maybe you have a chair or settee that could be brightened up and made to look like new, with Monolac. Moss green is a popular shade for porch furniture, but remember there are seven other natural wood shades.

C. B. COBURN CO.

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63 Market Street.

Not in any Milk Trust

The Original and Genuine

HORLICK'S MALTED MILK

The Food Drink for All Ages.

For Infants, Invalids, and Growing children Pure Nutrition, upbuilding the whole body. Invigorates the nursing mother and the aged. Rich milk, malted grain, in powder form. A quick lunch prepared in a minute. Take no substitute. Ask for HORLICK'S.

Others are imitations.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

Worms

Hundreds of children and adults have worms, but are treated for other diseases. The symptoms are:—indigestion, foul tongue, offensive breath, sense of fullness, eyes dull and heavy, itching of the nose, grinding of the teeth, slow fever and often, in children, convulsions.

TRUE'S Elixir

Established 1857

Is the best worm remedy made. Purely vegetable. Where no worms are present, acts as a tonic to correct stomach and bowels. Sure relief for constipation and biliousness. Ask your druggist for True's Elixir.

"Keeps you and your children well."

25c., 50c., $1.00

DR. J. F. TRUE & CO., Auburn, Me.



25c Cartridge Papers, Wednesday Only, 5 1-2c Roll

150 Rolls Stevens' 25c Blue Cartridge Papers, 1910 shades, Wednesday till sold, roll only.....5½c

Beautiful Borders and Friezes, including cut-out effects in profusion, to match same if desired....1c to 24c per yard

3000 NEW STYLES FOR 1910 TO SELECT FROM.

Nelson's Colonial Dept. Store

(SEE WINDOWS)

BIGGEST DISTRIBUTORS OF WALL PAPERS IN LOWELL.

When Wit Meets Wit, Then the Laugh



INCONSISTENT.

When she refused to marry me
She promised she would be my sister.
Yet she was mad as mad could be
When, with fraternal haste, I kissed her.



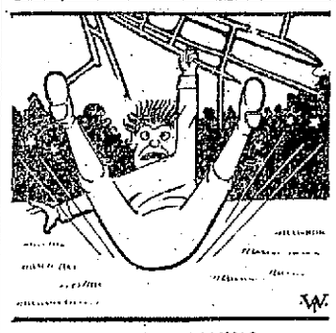
HIS PREFERENCE.

From the temperance headquarters came the strains of "Water, Pure Water, Is the Drink For Me."

"That's right," said Weary Walker, "but as long as water has dem bacilluses an' t'ings in it I t'ink I'll stick ter de old booze."

MAKING A MAN OF HIMSELF.





AN OLD SAYING.

"This," said the aeronaut as his machine fell, "is what I should call running a good thing into the ground."



PAID FOR HIS JOKE.

"Why are Tacker and Guppy at outs?"

"They were at church. Guppy dropped a silver dollar down the back of Tacker's neck as a joke, and Tacker walked out of church with the dollar."



A JOB FINISHED.

Mrs. Bingo—Willie, you horrid boy, you promised me you wouldn't fight any more.

Willie—I won't any more, ma. This was the only kid in the neighborhood I hadn't licked.



THE DESIRED RESULT.

"I'll teach you how to lie to me," said the angry father as he applied the strap.

And he did. After three more lessons his son could lie easily without being found out.



AFTER THE TREACLE MOON.

She—When you married me you said you were well off.

He—I was, but I didn't know it.



THE SPORTING BARBER.

"Ouch! That's the second time you've cut me."

"Never mind, sir. You'll win 2 cents anyway. I deduct a cent every time I cut a customer. Some of them go out without paying me anything."

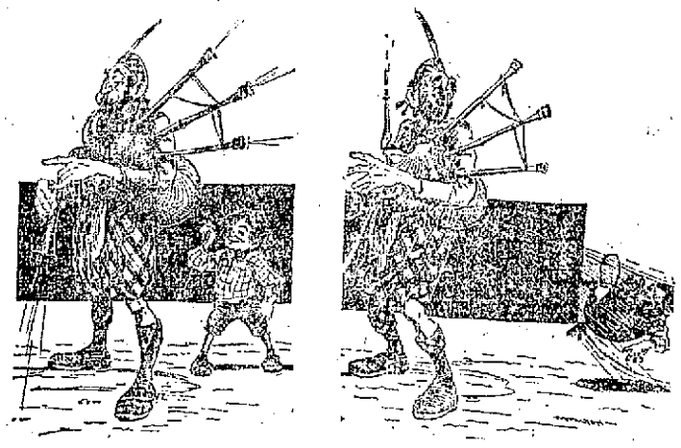


COURAGE OF HIS CONVICTIONS.

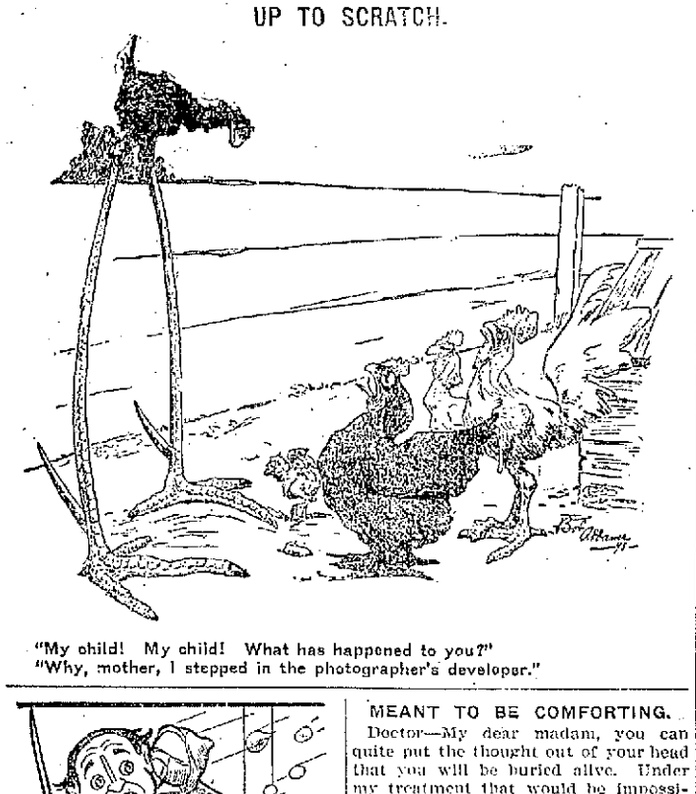
"Marriage has a civilizing effect on a man. If not, why is it that an old bachelor is so apt to be cross and crusty?"

"Because," replied the sage, "an old bachelor is not afraid to say what he means."

THE BOY, THE PIN AND THE PIPER.



UP TO SCRATCH.



"My child! My child! What has happened to you?"
"Why, mother, I stepped in the photographer's developer."

TOO MUCH TAB.



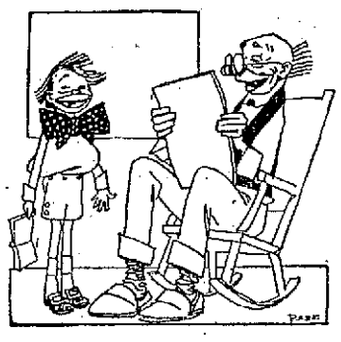
"You love another, Jack?"
"How can you talk that way, dearest? I've kissed you thirty times in the last two minutes."
"But if you loved me you wouldn't keep count."

AMPLY QUALIFIED.



Recruiting Officer: "I'm afraid you are not heavy enough for a cavalryman. We want men who can ride right over everything if necessary."

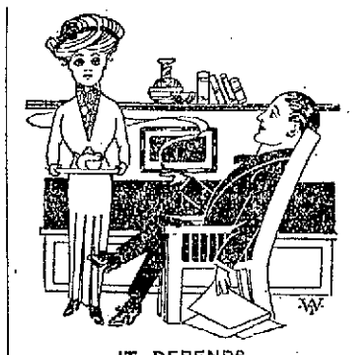
Applicant: "That's all right, cap. I've been a New York truck driver for seven years!"



OF COURSE.

Willie—This magazine states that there are so many seasoned duelists over in Germany. What is a "seasoned duelist?"

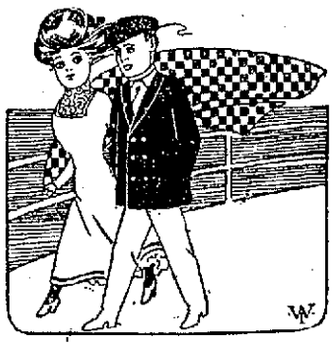
His Pa—One that has been well peppered, my son.



IT DEPENDS.

"Is it ladylike for a woman to ride horseback alone in the park?"

"Yes, unless she insists on riding like a gentleman."



PREPARED.

Miss Landseer—How did you feel when you found that the ship would surely go down in ten minutes?

Mr. Maldemere—I didn't care. I had given up all before that.



MODERN VERSION OF "GIT!"

Oldster—There's no reverence for age nowadays.

Youngster—Why do you think so?

Oldster—I stood on the corner a moment and an impudent lad said to me, "Aviate along, grandpa; you're blocking the street."



ILLUSTRATED SAYING.

"Stagestruck."

MEANT TO BE COMFORTING.

Doctor—My dear madam, you can quite put the thought out of your head that you will be buried alive. Under my treatment that would be impossible!



HUMBUG FIRED.

"I see by the paper they expelled Deacon Dug for humming in Church."



THE ONE THAT MADE A HIT.

First Gamin—Wot's yer prime fav'rit play?

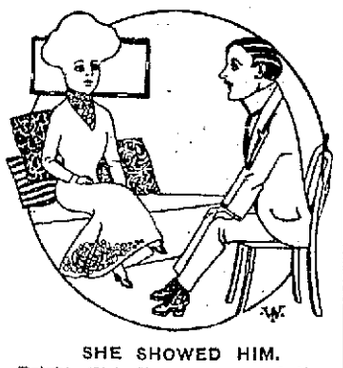
Second Ditto—Playin' hookey.



LIKEWISE PARTICULAR.

Police Sergeant—Matilda, I guess you can go, but don't let me see you here again.

"Deed you won't, honey. I don't git in no bad company noah dan onct."

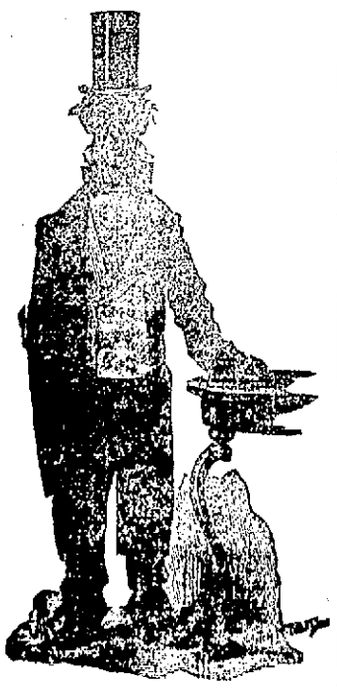


SHE SHOWED HIM.

Bright Girl—You say you believe there is a place for everything?

"Y-a-s," said the bore.

"Then why don't you go home?"



"HIS LONG SUIT."

THE MUSTACHE AS A DISGUISE.



Sleuth, the able detective, with the assistance of his long mustaches, presents the following disguises:



A waxed horizontal twist makes him Herr von Bims of the embassy.



In grizzly form he is Civamontojocoff, the sympathizer in nihilistic movements.



In this form we may seek in him innocent Mr. Smith of Kansas City.



Working among the banana venders he is Napoli Milano.



The lower twist makes him the colonel with a Gettysburg reminiscence.



The upper twist shows Sleuth as the Rev. Dr. Strict.



And with a mouth full just plain Hans Sachs.

THE PARK BOARD

Heard Complaint of Property Holders

Property owners in the vicinity of the North common are complaining of damage to their property because of sports. Complaints were read at the regular meeting of the park commission held last night.

Joseph Fay was the principal complainant and he said that a great many windows in his buildings were broken by foul tips in baseball games. He asked relief from the park commission. It was agreed that the diamond should be relaid.

President R. A. Griffiths and Messrs. Percy Burleigh and John Giblin of the Musicians union appeared to ask that the band stand on the South common be torn down and a new one built in the centre of the pond, where the music could be heard to best advantage. The present structure is "on its last legs," according to Mr. Griffiths, and Supt. Whittet agreed with him. The estimated cost of the new band stand was about $1000. It was suggested that the matter be brought before the committee on appropriations, as the park department had no appropriation to meet the request of the musicians.

Monthly bills were approved.

15TH ANNIVERSARY

OF ORGANIZATION OF EMPIRE COLONY, PILGRIM FATHERS.

The 15th anniversary of the organization of Empire colony of the Pilgrim Fathers was observed last night in Pilgrim hall by an entertainment and supper. The attendance was very large, almost every member of the colony being present. There was also a number of invited guests from the other colonies. The affair was carefully arranged and carried out in a successful manner.

The entertainment was held during the early part of the evening after which an oyster supper was enjoyed. The program presented was as follows: Welcome, Miss Isa Murphy; piano solo, Miss Mildred Merrill Hopkins; song, Miss Alice Stearns; remarks, Supreme Trustee James A. Burns of Boston; reading, Miss Jessie Hodge; piano solo, Miss Florence Lees; song, Robert J. Fullerton of Garfield colony; remarks, Frank McAnaly of Lawrence; song, Miss Mildred Locke; piano solo, Miss Lees; remarks, Supreme Sergeant-at-Arms P. J. Lane of Boston; remarks, E. P. White of Lawrence.

The committee in charge of the affair was: Miss Isa Murphy, chairman; Mrs. Maria Lairdieeon, Miss Rose Cote, Miss Minnie Lamphrey, Miss Annie Hardy.

MATRIMONIAL

The marriage of Mr. Angelo Tousignant, of the firm of Tousignant Bros., and Miss Regina Desharnais took place yesterday morning at St. Jean Baptiste church, at a mass celebrated by Rev. Fr. Watelle, O. M. I. The bride wore pale blue silk and carried bride roses. She was attended by her brother, Mr. Henri Desharnais, and the bridegroom, by his brother, Mr. Amedee Tousignant.

After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alphee Tousignant, 85 Austin street. The occasion was a very happy one, for Mr. Alphee Tousignant is not only a brother of the bridegroom, but his wife, who was a Miss Desharnais, is a sister of the bride. The guests included the near relatives on both sides, among them Mr. and Mrs. Leude Tousignant of Fitchburg.

After the breakfast, Mr. and Mrs. Tousignant left on the 10.39 train for Canada, to be gone four weeks. On their return they will make their home at 39 East Merrimack street.

PERREAULT—DIONNE

Mr. George Perreault, Jr., and Miss Marianna Dionne were married yesterday at St. Louis' church, at a nuptial mass celebrated by Rev. Fr. Jacques. The bride was attended by her father, Mr. Eustache Dionne, and the bridegroom by his father, George Perreault, Sr. A large number of friends of the young people attended the ceremony at the church. After the mass, a wedding breakfast was served at the bridegroom's home, 120 Dalton street, and in the evening a reception took place at the bride's home, 80 Beaulieu street.

BURROUGHS—TOWNSEND

Mr. Loa E. Burroughs, son of Mrs. F. R. Wright, of Westford street, and Miss Elizabeth A. Townsend were married on the afternoon of April 3, by Rev. S. W. Cummings of the First Baptist church, at the latter's residence, 62 Fairmount street. Mr. and Mrs. Burroughs will live in Boston.

GROTON

The annual town meeting was held yesterday, with H. W. Whiting as moderator.

The amount of money appropriated was $39,000. The money will be expended on lighting, schools and incidentals. For the current and general expense of lighting, $2400 was appropriated; $1000 for extension of commercial line at West Groton; $150 for extension to the corner near Nicholas Dinan's. No appropriation for band concerts or Fourth of July.

Selectman, overseers of the poor and assessor for three years, Frank A. Torrey; selectman and assessor for two years to fill the vacancy of J. Ryan, John Sheedy; town clerk, Appleton Torrey; town treasurer, Grant W. Shattuck; town collector, Gardner Rockwood; road commissioner, Burice Blakney; constables, Jerome Shattuck, John Hines, David Young; tree warden, John Hines; electric light committee, Myron Swallow, George Saxby and Frank Watters; school committee for three years, Herbert D. Frost; license question: No, 181; yes, 53.

Mrs. Maria Coolidge, an elderly lady who lived alone in the David Sadick house owned by Dr. E. F. Wilson, was fatally burned Saturday forenoon by her clothing taking fire while burning leaves. She lived only a few hours. Dr. Kilbourn was the attending physician.

MAPLE SUGAR SUPPER

The annual maple sugar supper at the Paige Street church took place last night. The syrup was delicious and the fritters, rolls, cake and coffee were all to the good. Mrs. George F. Libby had charge of the supper. She was assisted in the preparation of the supper by Mrs. W. O. Brown, Mrs. Bert Libby, Mrs. Henry McDonald, Mrs. W. E. Hatch, Mrs. D. P. Knowlton, Mrs. M. O. Batchelder, Miss Hattie Blake, Mrs. L. S. Lourien and Mrs. Wm. McKeon.

The following young women served at the tables: Misses Florence Knowlton, Lulu Berry, Esther Sanders, Belle Libby and Blanche Libby.

BOARD OF TRADE

Will Assist Census Enumerators in Work

Sec. McKenna of the board of trade has completed arrangements for the conference with Pres. Tuttle of the Boston & Maine in Boston, Thursday, relative to the betterment of freight transportation. He has asked several business organizations of Boston to cooperate with the Merrimack Valley organizations and a meeting will be held at the Boston City club before the conference.

Thursday evening in Harrington hall, Arthur A. Shurtleff of Boston, the well known authority on municipal building, will give an illustrated lecture on "City Planning." The lecture will be under the auspices of the board of trade and will be illustrated with many fine views.

In response to the offer of aid in compiling the census sent to Charles F. Gettemy, director for this state of the national census, by the Lowell board of trade through its secretary, Mr. McKenna, has received a request from Mr. Gettemy for the use of a room or rooms where the local director may meet the enumerators each evening in groups of from 10 to 20 persons. It is also requested that such quarters be provided with a telephone for the use of the local director.

MISSION OPENED

BY ASSUMPTIONIST FATHERS AT ST. LOUIS' CHURCH

The annual mission at St. Louis' church opened yesterday for married women and will continue four weeks, the second for unmarried women, the third for unmarried men and the closing week for married men.

The mission is being conducted by Rev. Frs. Laity and Hydulphe of the Assumptionist order of Worcester.

The Assumptionist fathers conduct a classical college and theological school at Worcester. The order came from France to this country only a few years ago, but has already acquired prominence in French American educational and missionary fields. The greater number of the fathers teach, but some devote themselves wholly to missionary work. Rev. Frs. Laity and Hydulphe are among these last. Rev. Fr. Hydulphe is well known as an enthusiastic exponent of the Solesmes mode of singing the plain chant, and has lectured in several New England cities on the subject, notably before the Association of French American organists at Lynn.

A LIVELY BLAZE

In a Barn in Burton Street

An alarm from box 315 at 8.32 o'clock last night gave a portion of the fire department a long run to Wigginville, there being a lively blaze in a barn on Burton street, the property of the Wiggin estate.

The barn was a small structure and was nearly destroyed before firemen arrived on the scene, but by quick work the flames were prevented from communicating with other buildings in the vicinity.

Another Barn Fire

Shortly after 11 o'clock an alarm came in from box 76 for a slight blaze in a barn in Sixth avenue belonging to Vital Roberts. The flames were discovered in a wagon in the rear by the patrolman and by the time the apparatus arrived the fire was extinguished. The damage was slight. F. C. Church had the insurance.

LETTER CARRIERS

PLAN FOR BIG REUNION ON APRIL 13.

The letter carriers held a well attended meeting last evening and completed arrangements for the grand reunion to be held in Associate hall on Wednesday evening, April 13. Chairman of the reception committee, Geo. L. Adams, stated that invitations have been sent to many congressmen, also the mayor and all the local officials of the Lowell postoffice, as well as all the officers of the National Association of Letter Carriers, and nothing which would add to the comfort of the guests will be overlooked. Albert E. Willis, chairman of the decoration committee, stated that Associate hall will be a bower of beauty on this evening with potted plants and bunting of red, white and blue. He has engaged an expert decorator to do this work.

John F. Roane, chairman of the concert committee, reported a very good musical program from 8 till 9 o'clock which will be worth going miles to hear. He and David P. Martin have found among the letter carriers some very fine singers who will make their initial bow before the public this evening and will without doubt make a decided hit.

William J. Lane, chairman of the music committee, reported that Hibbard's full orchestra has been engaged to furnish music for dancing until one o'clock a. m. The Hon. Joe himself will direct the orchestra and has cancelled many engagements to be present. He promises a rare musical treat.

Joseph D. McOsker, chairman of the uniform committee, stated that the entire carrier force have been measured by an up-to-date tailor for new uniforms and the same will be ready to wear on this event.

Treasurer William J. Higgins reported a big demand for tickets. All the carriers have made returns for tickets and are still disposing of some along their respective routes.

President Joseph J. Dillon of the Letter Carriers' association in a few well chosen words outlined the main object of this reunion, which is to have a fund to help any letter carrier who may become unfit for duty through sickness or accident, as Uncle Sam does not pay the letter carriers anything while off duty with sickness or accident.

The following officers were elected for the sick benefit association: Pres. John J. Dillon; vice president, Maurice H. Powers; secretary, Edward J. Lynch; financial secretary and treasurer, William J. Higgins. Auditing committee, Edwin A. Howe, Narcisse A. Gadbois and John P. Sheehan; Sergeant-at-Arms, John F. Lynch.

The following officers were elected for the reunion.

Gen. Manager John J. Dillon; assistant general manager, D. Josaph Donovan; floor director, Maurice H. Powers; assistant floor directors, John T. Burns and T. Joseph Sullivan; chief aids, John P. Sheehan, Albert E. Willis and Simon J. Kelley, chairman of reception committee, George L. Adams. Printing committee, George S. Howard, chairman; hall committee, Albert E. Willis, chairman; refreshment committee, John P. Sheehan, chairman. Concert committee, John F. Roane, chairman; press committee, Charles A. Carey, chairman; badge committee, William H. Whitston, chairman; transportation committee, James W. McGuire, chairman. The meeting closed by all singing: "It Looks to Me Like a Big Night Tonight."

TOWN MEETING

Selectman Butterfield of Tyngsboro Defeated

The annual meeting and election of officers of the town of Tyngsboro was held yesterday and the surprise of the day was the defeat of Selectman Jesse B. Butterfield for re-election by Frank G. W. McKittrick by five votes. Mr. Butterfield was defeated for the office of assessor by three votes and he and Mr. McKittrick were tied for the office of overseer of the poor for three years.

The town, as usual, went for no license, and Chester H. Quinn was chosen school committeeman by one vote over Francena L. Sherburne.

The meeting was called to order at eight o'clock and the polls were opened at 8.30. Jesse B. Butterfield was chosen moderator and the articles in the warrant were disposed of in quick order.

The following minor town officers were elected:

Field drivers, Perry A. Flint, John F. Chandler, Chester F. K. Bancroft.

Fence viewers: Charles P. Littlehale, Peter Littlehale, A. R. Marshall, Horace Bancroft.

Surveyors of lumber, wood and bark: W. A. Sherburne, C. M. Livermore, Perry A. Flint, J. F. Chandler, George M. Gilson, D. A. Connell, Wesley F. Marshall, Otis L. Wright.

Sealer of leather: James Algeo.

Superintendent of scales: Charles A. Nelson.

Hog reeves: No action taken.

Committee on Memorial day exercises: John W. Bodwell, one year; Martin B. Davis, two years (chosen at previous town meeting;) Rev. N. S. Hoagland, three years. The dog fund will go to the library and $50 was appropriated for a school physician.

The town voted to accept the provisions of chapter 423 of the acts of 1909 relative to the sale of ice cream, etc. on the Lord's day, but also voted to allow the selectmen to act according to their own discretion in the matter.

The treasurer was authorized to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

It was also voted that the fiscal year of the town will end Dec. 31 instead of March 1, as heretofore. Hereafter the annual town meeting will be held on the first Monday in March.

The following appropriations were reported and voted:

For schools, $1350; transportation, $1200; state aid, $175; books and school supplies, $175; Memorial day, $50; cemeteries; $75; tree warden, $50; destruction of elm tree beetle, $50; town counsel, $100; town officers, $500; incidentls, $700; town physician, $50; moth work, $225; Littlefield library, $250; lighting town with electricity, $400; highways, $350.

During the noon recess dinner was served in the lower town hall by the women of the F. L. A.

The results of the balloting were as follows:

Selectman for three years—Jesse B. Butterfield, 44; F. G. W. McKittrick, 49.

Assessor for three years, Butterfield, 45; McKittrick 48.

Overseer of the poor for three years—Butterfield, 46; McKittrick, 46.

Town treasurer—Charles P. Littlehale, 84.

Collector of taxes—William E. Barry, 47; Charles H. Holt, 43.

Auditor—Enlo A. Perham, 86.

Road commissioner, three years—Leon B. Perham, 86.

Constables for one year—Louis T. Braddon, 41; Perry A. Flint, 46; Frederick Sinclair, 80. (Two elected.)

Tree warden—Howard E. Noble, 78.

School committee, three years, Chester H. Queen, 86; Francena L. Sherburne, 85.

Trustees Littlehale public library, three years—Gertrude M. Blanchard, 75; Charles P. Littlehale, 79.

Cemetery commissioner, three years, Otis L. Wright, 77.

LOST AND FOUND

STRING OF GOLD NECK BEADS lost Sunday afternoon between the reservoir and the road to Hood's farm. Reward for return to Brunnelle's pharmacy, 33 East Merrimack st.

LADY'S PURPLE POCKETBOOK lost with initial C in corner. Finder rewarded at Adams Hardware & Paint Co., Middlesex st.

LADY'S OPEN FACED GOLD WATCH lost, between St. Patrick's cemetery and Middlesex st. Reward for return to 637 Broadway.

GOLD PIN about the size of a quarter of a dollar, set with pearls, lost Saturday, either at Pollard's, Palmer st. or to Bon Marche. Reward for return to Sun Office.

STRING OF SOLID GOLD BEADS lost between Fletcher and Middlesex sts. Finder, return to 1 Brooks st. and receive reward.

BUNCH OF KEYS lost on Lawrence st., between Wamesit and Andrews. Finder kindly return to 23 Meadowcroft st.

GARNET ROSARY BEADS, gold linked and gold cross, lost between Parker street and Lincoln school. Return to Old Washington Tavern and receive reward.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

6-ROOM COTTAGE, modern two-tenement house, 8-room house, all modern conveniences, 4 tenement block, all in Centralville, for sale. Call 24 West st.

TWO PART HOUSE of five rooms each for sale, cheap. Good location for renting property. Inquire at 942 Middlesex st.

FARM OF 5 ACRES with buildings, for sale. There are 10 large lots fronting on streets. I will sell by lots or the whole farm. Call and see me. John Keefe, 215 Tenth st.

HOUSE LOTS for sale on Christian Hill, 3c a foot. City water and gas. Inquire at 1128 Bridge st.

For Sale

Nice residence on Varnum ave., all improvements, large barn, large lot of land, lots of fruit. Selling at a bargain.

On Mammoth road, 40 acre farm, good buildings. **Price $2100.**

Good 10-room boarding house, lots of boarders and doing a good business. **Price $500.**

Near Westford and Gates streets, double two tenement house. **Price $1200.**

In Belvidere, good 8-room house with improvements, large lot of land. **Price $2200.**

Near Lowell, good $2000 farm for sale or exchange for city property.

On Varnum ave., good 9-room house, barn and one acre of land. **Price $1000.**

G. L. Hubbard
44 CENTRAL STREET

GRAND LARCENY

Well Known Promoter Found Guilty

NEW YORK, April 5.—Noah B. Barnes, promoter, engineer and president of the Cotton Wood Creek Copper company, was found guilty last night of grand larceny. He was accused of appropriating $30,000 of $150,000 of the company's funds obtained by sales of stock to the crown prince of Germany and other German noblemen. Count Von Hochberg, a young German nobleman, who denounced his social position at home to marry a German shop girl whom he brought to this country, acted as his sales agent abroad. Publication of letters from the crown prince to Von Hochberg in which the prince wrote "you have made yourself impossible here; you are lost to us," recently caused international comment.

Barnes took the verdict calmly. He will be sentenced next Thursday.

WANTED

BRUSH OR STUMP LAND wanted to clear by the acre. Address A. B. C., Sun Office.

PAPER NOVELS and good bound books wanted at Merritt's Book Store, 277 Middlesex st.

PUPILS WANTED in shorthand and typewriting; lessons day or evening. A. M. Clark, 137 Shaw st.

HELP WANTED

GIRLS WANTED to learn cutting, fitting, dressmaking, repairing and patterns by Mrs. M. J. Greaves, former principal of Lowell Dress Cutting school, 181 East Merrimack st. Single lessons.

BLACKSMITH WANTED at once. J. L. Fleming, Andover st. Lowell city line. Tel. 243-4.

LOOM FIXER wanted on Northrop looms, $2.25; steady work; also family help for cotton mill. Address Bonezet, Box L. F., Sun Office.

CANVASSERS WANTED—Men and women. We have the best selling article on the market, big money. Call evenings, 7 to 9 o'clock, room 6, Howe bldg., Merrimack sq.

WOMAN WANTED to do washing on Mondays. Apply Sun Office.

CARD ROOM HELP also spinners wanted for D. & F. mules. Apply Beaver Brook Mills, Collinsville.

TWO GOOD MEN wanted for lawn work, grading and sodding. Apply G. F. Cutler, North Chelmsford, Mass.

COOK WANTED (man), to do plain cooking. Address H. I., Sun Office.

FARMER WANTED, one who understands milking. Address M. X., Sun Office.

BAKER WANTED, one with home in view more than wages. Address U. W., Sun Office.

BOY WANTED, 17 or 18 years old, to work in grocery store. Must be honest and willing to work. Apply at 270 High st.

MEN WANTED for firemen and brakemen on nearby railroads. Experience unnecessary; good vision; age 20-30; $75 to $100 monthly. No strike; permanent employment. Promotion. 400 men being sent to positions monthly. State age, weight, height; send stamp. Railway Association, care Sun Office.

PAPER HANGER and painter wanted. Apply 347 Plain st.

MAN WANTED to take care of horses, do driving and other work. Address Driver, Sun Office.

SHOEMAKERS WANTED—None but first class workmen need apply. O'Sullivan Bros., opp. city hall, Merrimack street.

GIRL WANTED for office work, with some knowledge of typewriting. State experience and wages wanted. Address A. A., Sun Office.

YOUNG MAN wanted who lives in Lowell, who holds a fireman's license; or is capable of getting one. Must expect to work around in room. If you are a hoozer don't waste your time answering this ad. To a man who is honest and willing to work, will be offered a position that will be steady and will be paid good wages. Protestant preferred. Address B. U. S., Sun Office.

WE POSITIVELY have the fastest selling household patent on the market. Wolvereen Co., Pittsburgh, Pa.

HOUSE GIRL wanted. Apply 1 Dutton st.

LADIES WANTED to call and see a beautiful line of wash dress goods. N. M. Whitten, Wyman's Exchange.

WOMEN WANTED to sew beads on shoes; home work. Apply to Lowell Beading Co., 13 Ralph st.

MEN WANTED for railway mail, internal revenue, post office examinations. Write for Lowell examination schedule. Preparation free. Franklin Institute, Dept. 143 N., Rochester, N. Y.

RESIDENT AGENT to introduce to automobile men an article that will sell on sight; $50 a week easily earned. G. A. Cutting, South Paris, Me.

WANTED

Young man for rug and drapery dept. Apply to Mr. MacKenzie, 4th floor, Nelson's Dept. Store.



NOTICE TO ABUTTERS

Office of Superintendent of Streets,
Lowell, Mass., March 29, 1910.

The city is about to pave the following streets:

Merrimack street, from B. & M. R. R. tracks at Dutton street to west side of Tilden street.

Prescott street, from Merrimack square to Central street.

Middlesex and Branch streets, from east side of Howard street to west side of Nichols street.

Gorham street, from Middlesex street to south side of Appleton street.

Appleton street, from Gorham street to Central street.

Central street, from south side of Appleton street to Tower's Corner.

Howe street, from East Merrimack street to south side of Davidson street.

Perry street, from Andover street to land of American Safety Trend Co.

In consequence of which it is desirable that all persons who contemplate digging up the streets mentioned above for the purpose of making sewer, gas or water connections, or for any other purpose whatsoever, do so at once, as under the provisions of the city ordinances no permit will be given to any person to disturb the surface of said streets for a period of five years after said improvements are completed, except as otherwise provided in the ordinances.

NEWELL F. PUTNAM,
Superintendent of Streets.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

MONEY TO LOAN

LOAN — $10 AND UPWARDS — AMERICAN LOAN COMPANY

Safe and Convenient
FOR WOMEN

Our system offers convenience and safety to women customers. When a women borrows money she should do so intelligently, she cannot take chances of being overcharged or jeopardizing her security. Women come to us with the assurance that they will be treated honorably as every detail of the transaction is thoroughly explained before loan is made.

AMERICAN LOAN CO.
45 Merrimack St.
Room 10, Third Floor. Tel. 2434.

TO LET

THREE NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS, to let, suitable for light housekeeping. Hot and cold water and bath. Apply 42 Tyler st.

COTTAGE OF 6 ROOMS to let. In good repair. Inquire 542 Gorham st.

NICE 8-ROOM TENEMENT with barn to let on Stackpole st. Nice cottage on Fifth st. Barn on Bartlett st. Inquire of John McMonamin, 212 Merrimack st.

6-ROOM TENEMENT to let, all modern improvements, nearly new, on West 9th st. Inquire 16 Elwood ave.

4-ROOM TENEMENT with hot and cold water, pantry and bath, to let. New tenement. Inquire 77 Linden st.

SMALL TENEMENT to let at 60 Tyler st. Inquire of Geo. H. Walker, 216 Central st. Care Bartlett & Dow.

BARN TO LET on Central st., near Hosford sq. $5 per mo. T. H. Elliott, 64 Central st.

FURNISHED ROOMS to let at 17 First street. Apply on premises.

MODERN 4-ROOM FLAT to let. Bath, hot water and set wash trays, at Davis square, Gorham and Central sts. Inquire of F. W. Barrows, 1036 Central st.

LOWER TENEMENT of 7 rooms to let, first class condition, set tubs, open plumbing, on upper part of Broadway. Apply to Charles M. Erskine, Room 3, Central Block.

STORE AND TENEMENT to let, 100 Lakeview ave., at $10 a month. Charles Callahan, 117 Durant st.

LARGE BARN to let with cellar, also use of sink, water, kitchen and stove. Good place for keeping hens. Inquire 178 Charles st.

FLATS TO LET—Three and four rooms each, $1.25 and $1.50 per week. Inquire at 801 Lakeview ave.

6-ROOM TENEMENT to let in Pawtucketville, bath, gas, hot water, open plumbing, sewer connection. Apply 89 Varnum ave., or tel. 1019-1.

OFFICES TO LET in Associate bldg. Light, bright and airy, overlooking Monument square. Rent reasonable. Apply to janitor.

4-ROOM FLAT to let, bath, separate front and back doors. Inquire 635 East Merrimack st.

Hall to Let

Fine large hall with good ante-room, well furnished, centrally located. Up two flights. Suitable for any organization. Apply evenings between 7 and 9 at 22 Middle st.

FOR SALE

DINING AND LUNCH ROOM for sale. Good place; money maker; expenses low. Address W., Sun Office.

BABY CARRIAGE for sale cheap; good condition. Call 36 B st.

12 HORSES for sale, Drivers, workers, family and business horses. See these before you buy. Rear 56 Franklin st.

10 CANDY VENDING MACHINES for sale; now operating at an average of $20 per week. Will sell at a bargain if taken at once. Call or Write, A. B. Eckland, 35 Ottawa st.

LOT OF SECOND-HAND LUMBER, and body, axle and wheels of a two-horse dump cart, for sale cheap. Inquire at 942 Middlesex st. S. B. Puffer.

LIGHT BRAHMA EGGS for sale, for hatching, 50 cents for 13. McDonald, 406 Mammoth road.

VARIETY STORE for sale, doing fine business, good locality, fresh clean stock, rent low. Sickness cause of sale. Cut $100. See Byam Bros., 97 Central st.

12 RHODE ISLAND RED PULLETS for sale. Choice stock. 549 Lawrence st.

ANDRESBURG ROLLER CANARIES males and females, for sale. 102 Cross street.

SPECIAL NOTICES

MRS. DIONNE, the dressmaker, has removed her parlors from 76 Aiken st. to 826 Merrimack st.

ROOMS PAPERED $1.65 up, rooms painted $1.25, white washing 25 cents. All work guaranteed. Shop address, F. Benard, 48 Winter st.

IF YOU WANT to buy a farm, city property of any kind, large or small; boarding or lodging houses, call and see G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central st.

MADAME BREETON, world's greatest palmist and card reader, 50c sittings this week 25c. 392 Bridge st. In rear, opposite Third st.

AMERICAN HAND LAUNDRY CO., 16 Marsh st. Work done in first class style at reasonable prices, with or without ironing.

PRIVATE HOME for ladies before and during confinement. Infants adopted. Mrs. W. E. Fish, 92 Vine st., Nashua, N. H.

FRESH PICKED WORMS bought and sold at Harry Gonzales, 123 Gorham st. Tel 952-2.

SECOND HAND FURNITURE of all kinds, bought, sold and exchanged. A. S. Edwards, 531 Dutton st. Tel. 1276-5.

C. M. SAUNDERS, CHIROPODIST, open every day and Monday and Saturday evenings. 90 Prescott st.

FIRST CLASS TABLE BOARD and rooms to let, steam heat. Most desirable place. One minute's walk from Westford st. car line. Mrs. Nettie Saunders, 68 Gates st.

F. H. BUTLER & CO., 891 Middlesex st. have a dead sure cure for rheumatism.

LIMBURG, CHIMNEY EXPERT—Chimneys swept and repaired. Residence 1128 Bridge st. Tel. 945.

HORSE CLIPPING—The only power shop. 100 Willie st.

CASH PAID for furniture, carpets, stoves and ranges. Write, call or phone, 2066. C. Welcome, 198 Broadway.

THE SUN IN BOSTON—The Sun is on sale every day at both news-stands of the Union station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

SITUATIONS WANTED

DRUG CLERK desires position, 10 years' experience, A1 references. Address D. C., Sun Office.

EXPERIENCED CHAUFFEUR, strictly temperate, single man, wants situation in or out of town. Address J. R. A., Sun Office.

MIDDLE AGED WOMAN would like light housework or to take care of a couple of children. Call at 104 Concord st.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

MONEY TO LOAN

NOTES OF SALARIED PEOPLE and women keeping house and others, bought without security, easy payments. Offices in 66 principal cities. Don't be deceived by misleading advertisements, investigate actual terms of others, then save money by trading here. D. H. Tolman, Room 48, 45 Merrimack st.

$5 THE $10
EQUITABLE LOAN
$15 CO. $25

Mill Operatives, Clerks, Mechanics and Housekeepers may borrow money for the Easter Holidays. Loaned without security. No waits, no investigations or red tape. Business strictly confidential. Two private offices, most liberal terms of any company in Lowell. Payable in small weekly payments to begin after Easter.

Offices 37 Hildreth Bldg., up one flight, at head of stairs.

OPEN EVERY EVENING
45 Merrimack St.

MONEY
MONEY — $10.00 — and Upwards

Let us furnish you the cash necessary to give you a clean slate. That's our business. A loan from us will cost you but a trifle and we arrange the payments in such a way as to be of no inconvenience to you.

We take no security and neither ask nor accept payments on your account if taken sick or thrown out of employment. Call, write or phone us.

National Loan Co.
40 CENTRAL ST.
Marks Bldg. 'Phone 1931

SUMMER RESORTS.

SUMMER BOARDERS wanted on farm. Prices very reasonable. Located on shore of Russell's pond; fine big farmhouse with 100 acres; excellent kitchen; use of horse and boats, one mile from electrics. Address Mrs. J. Huislander, Chelmsford Centre.

TAYLOR ROOFING CO.

Buy their stock in large quantities. You can get the benefit of their purchases.

Do you want your house shingled or a gravel roof put on in the best manner?

Telephone 931-13, office and residence, 140 Humphrey Street.

Rooms Papered For
$2.00

We furnish the wall paper and border to match, and send a first class paperhanger to hang the same, for $2 per room. Free samples of wall paper on request. Painting in all its branches, and whitewashing.

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LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

Whereas, Otto Waldemar Swenson of Lowell, in said County, has presented to said Court, a petition praying that his name may be changed to that of Waldemar Stewart for the reasons therein set forth;

All persons are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the seventh day of April, A. D. 1910, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and ten.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the next of kin and all others interested in the estate of Thomas Fox, late of Holliston, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, Daniel J. Donahue, the administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court for allowance the second account of his administration on said estate and application has been made for a distribution of the balance in his hands among the next of kin of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the seventeenth day of May, A. D. 1910, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why said account should not be allowed and distribution made according to said application.

And the petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by delivering or mailing post-paid a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate thirty days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fourth day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred and ten.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Oliver J. Coburn, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the nineteenth day of April, A. D. 1910, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this second day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred and ten.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of James Lee, late of Dracut, in said County, deceased.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.

HOTEL HOTHWELL, Virginia Ave, Second House from Boardwalk and Steel Pier. Modern family hotel. Private baths. Running water and all appointments. Booklet. J. & N. R. Hothwell.

Hotel Traymore
Atlantic City, N. J.
Open Throughout the Year
Famous as the hotel with every modern convenience and all the comforts of home.
TRAYMORE HOTEL CO.,
D. S. WHITE, Pres.
CHAS. O. MARQUETTE, Mgr.

Hotel Jackson

On the Ocean Front, at Virginia Ave., Atlantic City, N. J. Elevator to street; ocean view rooms, single or en suite, with bath. Beautiful new cafe. Orchestra, etc. J. H. GORMLEY.

MISCELLANEOUS

LAWN MOWERS sharpened up to date at Harry Gonzales, the cutler, 123 Gorham st. Tel. 952-2.

DRINK GLORIA for health; sold everywhere.

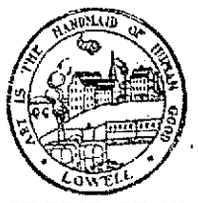
MOTHERS—Bent's Destroyer kills lice on children, and all insects; cures dandruff and itching scalp; prevents falling hair; harmless. 25c only at Falls & Burkinshaw's, 418 Middlesex st.

Horse For Sale

Good worker, weighing 1300 lbs., 14 hands high, 12 years old; would make a good farm horse. Inquire Davis & Sargent, Middlesex st.

E. GREENBERG,
REAL ESTATE

To let, houses, tenements and stores in all parts of the city. I have just completed fifteen new houses which at this time are ready for occupancy. If in need of property call at 8 Grand street and get full particulars about the properties I control. Real estate deals of all kinds consummated.



OFFICE OF DEPT. OF SUPPLIES

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Supply Department to purchase and sell goods, as follows, until 10 a. m., Friday, April 8th, 1910:

Req. 45,065. Sewer Dept.

To Sell:

1 Clutch Engine, complete without boiler.

Req. 45,572. Water Works Dept.

1 Dean Boiler Feed Pump.

Req. 45,974. Sewer Dept.

2 Ingersoll & Sargent Steam Rock Drills.

1 Rand Steam Rock Drill.

Req. 46,092. Street Dept.

Scrap Iron at Willard St. Ledge.

To Purchase:

Drugs, as per list, which can be seen at Supply Department.

All bids submitted to be in sealed envelopes, plainly marked on outside kind of material upon which bid is submitted.

PETER A. MACKENZIE,
Chief of the Supply Dept.
Lowell, Mass., April 4th, 1910.

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

SOUTHERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
5.45	8.50	6.14	7.13
a6.27	7.41	7.58	8.55
b6.44	7.53	8.15	9.01
6.49	7.30	9.00	9.30
7.01	8.00	10.00	10.36
7.22	8.05	b10.21	11.34
a7.31	8.50	11.20	12.07
7.44	8.35	12.00	12.50
8.48	9.25	1.00	1.57
8.56	9.36	2.00	3.04
b9.07	10.18	3.00	3.37
9.38	10.24	b3.51	5.02
10.45	11.40	4.00	4.37
11.38	12.20	a4.12	5.30
12.12	1.00	5.00	6.37
1.23	2.30	b5.21	6.28
2.41	3.33	5.39	6.25
3.57	4.40	b5.51	7.05
4.23	5.30	a6.14	7.30
5.20	6.15	7.35	8.05
b6.10	7.15	8.30	9.05
6.23	7.10	10.30	11.34
7.36	8.20	11.17	11.55
9.50	10.30	11.20	12.16

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6.46	7.55	a7.00	8.10
8.04	8.55	7.30	8.52
9.50	10.50	9.24	10.39
10.50	11.55	10.55	11.52
12.05	1.10	11.50	12.54
x1.20	2.38	2.14	3.20
3.15	4.14	3.30	4.30
4.25	5.24	4.59	5.56
5.08	6.09	6.08	7.08
7.00	8.00	6.35	7.45
9.55	10.55	9.35	10.33
		x11.25	12.21

SUNDAY TRAINS

WESTERN DIVISION

8.20	9.20	8.00	9.08
12.10	1.15	12.00	1.00
3.50	5.00	2.14	3.23
5.45	7.00	3.30	4.41
8.50	10.02	5.20	6.36
		8.40	9.43

SUNDAY TRAINS

SOUTHERN DIVISION

6.49	7.30	9.05	10.00
7.22	8.05	10.00	10.30
7.55	8.35	11.30	12.07
8.48	9.40	1.00	1.57
9.20	10.15	5.00	8.02
10.30	11.35	7.50	8.05
2.25	5.19	8.35	9.05
5.10	8.00	9.00	10.02
6.28	7.10	10.14	10.52
7.36	8.20	10.20	11.35

References:

x Runs to Lowell Saturdays only.
n Via Lawrence Junction.
b Via Bedford.
s Via Salem Jct.
z Via Wilmington Junction.

LOCAL NEWS

Best of work at Tobin's Printery.

Get your hat at Delorme's.

Gilmore's Prescott hall, tonight.

Kittredge's, O. U. A. M., tonight.

When placing insurance consult J. F. Donohue, Donovan building. Tel.

Don't miss the great sale of beautiful house lots in the Lowell Highlands on Saturday, April 9th, at 2.30 p. m.

A high mass of requiem will be celebrated for the repose of the soul of Mrs. Mary Bushnell at 8 o'clock Wednesday morning.

The regular meeting of Butler Ames Company, U. R. K. P., was held last night and one brother knight was obligated into the rank. Major H. T. Russell was present and addressed the members.

M. E. CONFERENCE

WESTFIELD, April 5.—Preliminary meetings of the New England conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, the largest of the six conferences held in New England annually, began here today. Bishop Luther Wilson of Philadelphia, one of the best known administrators of the board, is presiding officer of the conference.

In the local Y. M. C. A. hall today the examinations of delegates took place. This forenoon examinations for local orders and written examination in the conference course were held while others went on during the day. The anniversary meeting of the Epworth league will be held this evening. Over two hundred and sixty ministers will be in attendance at the conference tomorrow.

Florida Oranges, Grapefruits, Tangerines Are Now at Their Best.

Get Them at

KILLPARTRICK'S

Merrimack Square.

Les Miserables Alleys

East Merrimack Street

Under new management, will be open to the public from 8 a. m. until 11 p. m. with all new pins, balls and everything that will make this amusement place the most attractive bowling room in the city. Private alleys for private parties. Give us a call.

THOMAS M. WELCH, Proprietor.

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Today Afternoon 2 to 5 Evening 7 and 8.30

We Cater to Ladies and Children

PETCHING BROTHERS
Presenting the Novelty Musical Act

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Elaborate, Spectacular, Pretty

THE 3 LORELLAS
Comedy Acrobats

DORETHEA HALL
Singing Comedienne

HERB. WEBSTER
Pictorial Melodies

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THE A. O. H. BAZAAR

Associate Hall Was Crowded to the Doors Last Night

Associate hall was crowded to the doors last night when the formal opening of the bazaar in aid of the A. O. H. building fund took place. Early in the evening 600 members of the five divisions of the order in this city assembled at A. O. H. hall in the Howe building and formed for the parade. The line was headed by a fife and drum corps and Michael McMullin of Division 1 was marshal. John C. Rourke of Division 8 was adjutant and the aids were Capt. Patrick Fitzgerald of the Irish Volunteers; deputy of Division 11; Daniel E. Hogan, secretary of the Central council; Dennis Lynch, vice-president of Division 2; Patrick Connolly, president of Division 11; Daniel Reilly, of Division 8, and Hugh McQuaide, president of Division 28.

The line of march was from the hall to Central to Charles to Gorham to Central to Merrimack streets to Associate hall. Along the line of march hundreds viewed the paraders. The bazaar was opened by Mayor Meehan who was introduced by Mr. James O'Sullivan, general manager of the festival. Mr. O'Sullivan explained the object of the affair, stating that for years it has been the ambition of the Hibernians of Lowell to have a building that they could call their own. The funds received from the bazaar, he said, will be used in part to help along this project, and a portion will be laid aside to go toward paying the expenses of the state convention to be held here in August. He said that there is no doubt that within one year the Hibernian building will be constructed in this city. Mr. O'Sullivan's remarks aroused great enthusiasm and when he introduced Mayor Meehan, the large audience gave His Honor a grand reception.

Mayor Meehan said in part: "I am exceedingly glad to have received an invitation to be present here this evening, and I wish to congratulate the Hibernians on this splendid demonstration. But I am not here to lecture on Ireland, for Ireland needs no words of mine. The history of Ireland is Ireland's greatest fame. Nor need I speak for Irishmen; they need no defense nor eulogy from me. They have been a potential factor for good in everything in our American life, and stand for the highest type of manhood, wherever they may be."

The mayor said that it was his hope that the Hibernians would accomplish their object and erect here a building that will be a credit not only to the order but to the city. He referred to the grand work done in the recent Y. M. C. A. campaign for a new building and said that he saw no reason why the Hibernians could not accomplish the same results. He also referred to the coming state convention and urged all citizens to unite in making it a grand affair and to extend to the visiting thousands a warm welcome. The mayor was cheered at the conclusion of his remarks. The large audience was then given an opportunity to inspect the different sales tables which are prettily decorated and contain many articles of value.

There are four booths on each side of the hall. On the left as one enters, is the fish pond. Then comes the booth of Division 11, followed by the booth of Division 1 and finally next to the stage, by that of Division 28. The first booth on the right side as one enters is the refreshment booth and is under the direction of the Ladies Auxiliary. Next there is a mystery table and the table of the Ladies Auxiliary proper, both of which are under the direction of this enthusiastic body of women. Then there is the booth of Division 8 and finally that of Division 2.



JAMES O'SULLIVAN
General Manager of A. O. H. Bazaar.

Ice cream, cake, candy, tonic and lemonade are served at the refreshment table. On the other tables is a great variety of handsome articles that will attract the attention of the thousands of patrons expected during the week.

An orchestra made up of members of the A. O. H. furnished music for the dancing that followed the opening address.

The hall is handsomely decorated; flags and bunting and greenery being used in profusion.

The principal decorations are in delicate pink and white, with green for a background. Streamers of all three colors sweep in graceful folds across the front of the balconies in long streamers and pennants from every post and pillar to the electrolier high up in the centre of the ceiling. The proscenium arch of the stage is a mass of pink and white drapery, while the back wall is hung with American flags, flanked by the familiar banner of the Emerald isle, beneath which are massed pine trees and potted plants.

Bazaar Will Continue

The bazaar is to be open each remaining night of this week, and for each night there has been arranged a program differing in character but equally excellent in degree. Tonight for instance, is novelty night and just before the dancing Mr. Charles Carey, the well known letter carrier, will sing one of Dockstader's latest ballads and a character sketch from "Bright Eyes." Wednesday night there will be an entertainment by the Y. M. C. I.; Thursday night a parade and prize drill by the Celtic military companies of this city, and visiting organizations; Friday night an entertainment by the C. Y. M. L., and Saturday night general dancing and the distribution of prizes. There will also be dancing every other night from 9 until 11 o'clock.

The Committees

The officers of the general committee are: General manager, James O'Sullivan; assistant general manager, James E. Burns; treasurer, John H. Hickey; secretary, Hugh McQuaide.

Executive committee of the general committee: Michael McMullen, Division 1; Dennis O'Brien, Division 2; Daniel Riley, Division 8, chairman of the several committees; Michael Connolly, Division 11; Patrick Wrenn, Division 28.

Ladies' Auxiliary, including Ladies' Auxiliary table, mystery table and refreshment booths: Matrons, Miss Katherine R. Downes, Mrs. Maria O'Connor, Miss Annie Maguire; assistant matrons, Mrs. Julia Donnelly, Miss Della Clancy, Miss Mollie Burke, Miss Katherine M. Clancy; treasurer, Mrs. Julia Reardon; aids, Mrs. Minnie McQuarrie, Mrs. Fury, Mrs. John Haviland, Mrs. Hannah O'Laughlin, the Misses Mary Lee, Delia O'Brien, Mary King, Katherine Dwyer, Katherine O'Brien, Katherine Burke, Nora Hayes, Sara Conway, Kittie Barry, May Ellen Connolly, Alice Hayes, Mamie Norton, Emma Murphy, Mrs. Katherine Goggin, Mrs. Mary Belfrey, Mrs. Joseph Fahey, the Misses Alice Casey, Margaret Buckley, Mary Mescall, Norah Lyons, Mary O'Malley, Delia Fitzgerald, Mollie O'Brien, Margaret Kenney, Nora Kenney, Helen Rayball, Annie Cassidy, May Ellen Cox, Mary Qualey, Margaret Murray, Minnie Barry, Margaret Barry.

Division 28 table: Chairman, John Thompson; treasurer, Edward Slattery; secretary, Owen Healey; matron, Mrs. Timothy O'Sullivan; assistant, Miss Helena O'Sullivan; aids, Mrs. Joseph T. McWeeny, the Misses Mae O'Brien, Sara Kelly, Josephine Kelly, Mollie O'Sullivan, Annie Donovan, Theresa Slattery, Mollie O'Brien, Lulu O'Sullivan, Julia Slattery, Margaret Curran, Annie Sullivan, Mary Sullivan.

Division 1 table: Chairman, Daniel E. Hogan; secretary, John O'Loughlin; treasurer, Patrick Reardon; matron, Mrs. Mary Maguire; assistant, Miss Bridget Nolan; aids, the Misses May Connors, Elizabeth Lynch, Margaret Lynch, Bessie Fitzsimmons, Margaret Feeney, Nora Feeney, May Callahan, Laura Hanley, Margaret Rourke, Delia Rourke, Maria Markham, Mary Riley, Susie Riley, Winnie O'Loughlin, Annie Campbell, Annie O'Laughlin, Alice McNulty, Nellie McNulty, Elizabeth Whalen, Sadie Kenney, Katherine O'Leir.

Fish pond, under Division 1 management: Joseph E. McVey, manager; Miss Annie O'Laughlin, Miss May Callahan.

Division 11 table: Chairman, Michael Connors; secretary, Patrick Connolly; treasurer, John Talty; matron, Miss Etta Duffy; assistant, Mrs. Helen Ferris; aids, the Misses Annie Connolly, Mary E. Connolly, Annie Pierce, Katherine Griffin, Della Langen, Katherine Trainor, Winifred Hannon, Agnes Brennan, Katherine Brennan, Annie Quinn, Mary Fox, Nellie Callahan, Nora Callahan, Sarah Harrison, Margaret Harrington, Rose Cunnion, Annie Curran, Mary Wholey, Myrtle Dunfey, Sarah Hession, Nellie Kelley, Mrs. Patrick Donnelly.

Division 2 table: Chairman, D. F. Lynch; secretary, Charles Carlin, treasurer, Owen McArdle; matron, Mrs. C. V. Lyons; assistant, Mrs. Agnes Finnegan; aids, Miss Annie Finnegan, Mrs. Thomas Sheehan, the Misses Mamie A. Sheehan, Norah Sheehan, Katherine Sheridan, Annie Smith, Bessie McAloon, Annie McAloon, Mary Lynch, May Reardon, Helen Dee, Katherine Mahoney, Alice Hoy, Julia Lynch, Mrs. John P. Sheehan.

Division 8 table: Chairman, John C. Rourke; secretary, Michael Rynne; treasurer, Nicholas Soroghan; matron, Miss Delia Conway; assistant, Mrs. Patrick Sheridan; aids, the Misses Nellie Mulligan, Margaret Mulligan, Helen Ward, Minnie Scanlon.

FUNERAL NOTICE

CUFF—The funeral of Miss Annie T. Cuff will take place Thursday morning at eight o'clock from the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Cuff, 195 Moore street, and proceed to the church of the Sacred Heart, where at nine o'clock a funeral high mass will be sung, after which the cortege will proceed to the Catholic cemetery, where burial will take place in the family lot. The funeral arrangements and burial are in charge of Undertaker John A. Finnegan.

VYSKOCZKA—The funeral of Sylvester Vyskoczka will take place tomorrow morning at eight o'clock from his home, 67 Davidson street, and proceed to the Lithuanian Catholic church, Rogers street, where at nine o'clock a funeral high mass will be sung, after which the remains will be taken to the funeral parlors of Undertaker John A. Finnegan, 179 East Merrimack street. Burial will take place Sunday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock from the funeral parlors and placed in the family lot in the Catholic cemetery in charge of Undertaker John A. Finnegan.

KENNEY—The funeral of Mr. John Kenney will take place Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock from his late home, 117 Butterfield st. A solemn high funeral mass will be sung in St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. C. H. Molloy & Sons in charge.

KEEGAN—The funeral of Mrs. Catherine Keegan will take place Thursday morning at 8.30 o'clock from her late home, 3 rear 218 Adams street. A funeral high mass will be sung in St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. C. H. Molloy & Sons will be in charge.

BROMLEY—The funeral of the late Mrs. Julia A. Bromley will take place tomorrow morning from her residence, 1120 Mammoth road, Collinsville, at 8 o'clock. High mass of requiem will be celebrated in St. Mary's church at 9 o'clock. Undertaker J. F. O'Donnell and Sons in charge.

CLARK—The funeral of George E. Clark will take place Thursday morning from his late residence, 103 Pleasant street at 8 o'clock. Solemn high mass of requiem will be celebrated in the church of the Immaculate Conception at 10 o'clock. Undertaker J. F. O'Donnell and Sons in charge.

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SATURDAY

April 9th, at 2.30 P. M.

MAMMOTH LAND SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION OF TWENTY-ONE (21) HOUSE LOTS

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Terms:—$50 to be paid to the auctioneer on each lot as soon as struck off.

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DORMITORY THIEF

Was Caught After Some Gun Play

BOSTON, April 5.—Shots, following a robbery in Westmorely Hall, Harvard's most aristocratic dormitory in the section known as the "Gold Coast," aroused Cambridge so suddenly last evening that the alleged invader was in the Brattle square police station less than half an hour after the theft was committed.

It was 8.30 o'clock when a man rode up to Westmorely Hall in Bow street. He entered Suite 106, which is occupied by John H. Knapp, Jr., of West Newton; Philip K. Houston of Concord; Morris L. Hallowell, Jr., Minneapolis, Minn., and Richard Douglas of Chillicothe, O., all members of the class of 1912.

A short time later a young man clothed in many suits rode to the Max Keezer store in Bow street on a bicycle and offered Max Keezer, Jr., some of the clothing for cash. Keezer doubted the right of the young man to sell the clothing and showed a revolver. His customer ran into the street, and as soon as Keezer got out onto the sidewalk and saw the young man riding away on the bicycle he shot into the air and gave chase, shooting until the man forsook the bicycle and ran around the corner, only to fall into the arms of Policeman Robert Douglas, who was standing in front of Russell Hall.

At the Brattle Square station Patrolman Garvin identified the young man as Walter Garrity, 23 years old, of Cambridge, who recently was released from the Cambridge house of correction, prior to which he served in the house of correction on Deer Island and the Cambridge reform school.

Several pairs of trousers, three coats and vests, a revolver and knife, valued at $200, and a jewel box containing ten stickpins valued at $500 were taken from the suite.

At the station house the police say that Garrity confessed he stole the bicycle in the afternoon at the corner of Massachusetts avenue and Pearl street. The police have not found the owner of the bicycle.

Knapp is a son of John H. Knapp of West Newton, with offices at 50 Congress street, Boston, and Houston is a son of a prominent telephone official.

CONSERVATION

TO BE LEADING SUBJECT AT CHARITIES CONFERENCE

WASHINGTON, April 5.—The subject of conservation seems likely to occupy a very prominent place in the deliberation of the national conference of charities and corrections which will meet in this city during the week of May 19-26.

Announcement was made today by Paul Kellogg of New York, editor of the survey who is chairman of the committee on occupational standards of the national conference that while he has been unsuccessful in securing the promise from James J. Hill to open the discussion on "Conservation" he had received a tentative promise from Gifford Pinchot, late chief forester of the United States, that if the latter returns from his conference with Col. Roosevelt in Europe before this conference meets he will probably appear here.

It seems to be more and more apparent, according to Mr. Kellogg that there is a definite relation between conserving of the nation's resources and problems of charity.

Louis D. Brandeis of Boston has promised that unless he is detained in Washington by a congressional inquiry he will deliver an address on "What industrial changes and adjustments will further the practical adoption of advancing occupational standards."

In the matter of conservation of the human end of the American industrial machinery, it is expected that Dr. Henry F. Falvill of Chicago will make an important public announcement of his investigations relating to the toxin of fatigue.

SUPERIOR COURT

Moore Spinning-Boston Ice Case Next

The case of Hourihan vs. Blair and Hourihan vs. Whidden Co. Inc., which went to trial in the superior court by special assignment yesterday was on trial throughout the forenoon and will take most of the session today.

At the opening of court this morning a jury was empanelled to consider the next case on the list also specially assigned, the counter suit of the Boston Ice company vs. Moore Spinning company and the Moore Spinning company vs. Boston Ice company. W. D. Turner of Boston appears for the Boston Ice company and Stone and Stone of Boston for the Moore Spinning company. Immediately after being empanelled the jury accompanied by deputy sheriffs and counsel, boarded a special electric car and proceeded to North Chelmsford to view the premises over which the litigation is pending. The case involves a question of water rights at Crystal lake, in North Chelmsford from which the Moore Spinning company gets water by means of a canal, while the Boston Ice company controls the ice cutting on the pond. Some time ago it will be recalled a dam at the entrance of the canal broke, causing a flood and doing considerable damage.

While the specially assigned cases are on trial, Clerk Smith is busy getting the regular list ready.

THE LIQUOR ISSUE

Big Question in Illinois Election

CHICAGO, April 5.—The polls opened at 6 a. m. tody for what was looked upon as one of the most important aldermanic elections in Chicago's history. Keen interest was displayed in many of the thirty-five wards, each of which are to elect a member to the new city council.

Reform organizations put forth efforts to defeat alleged gray wolves because the next council probably will have to decide upon several great municipal undertakings. Among these are regulation of the prices of gas and telephone service and construction of a passenger subway.

The saloon question was not put before the voters in Chicago, the project to have it placed on the ballot having been knocked out on the ground that the petition did not have enough signatures.

More than two hundred cities and towns in Illinois, however, were called upon to vote on local option.

Saturday, April 9th, at 2.30 p. m., 21 house lots at public auction in the Lowell Highlands.

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